

SPRECKLES SEES PLOT TO DISCREDIT WILSON BY MEANS OF A PANIC

NEW TREASURY ORDERS ILLEGAL IS STATEMENT

Sees Panic Germs in Deposit of Customs Money in National Banks by Department

SAYS RESCINDING MEANS TROUBLE

Consequent Withdrawal of Large Sums Will Cause Financial Stringency He Declares

ADMINISTRATION QUICK TO DENY

Say Plan Is Only Meant to Simplify Work and Spreckels Is in Error

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7.—Carrying with him a resolution demanding a congressional probe of the new treasury department order extending deposits in national banks, to be introduced unless Secretary of the Treasury McVeagh satisfactorily refute the charges made by Rudolph Spreckels, representative Carter Glass of Virginia this afternoon hurried to the treasury department for an interview with McVeagh.

Glass declared that the order was "revolutionary and of doubtful legality," and that unless the treasury department was able to give him better explanation for its promulgation than he had been able to obtain from Assistant Treasurer Bailey, he would call for the suspension of the order if possible or at all events demand a congressional inquiry.

Glass is chairman of the house committee on banking and currency.

NEW YORK, Feb. 7.—Financial storm possibilities will confront President Woodrow Wilson, immediately after his inauguration, unless congress promptly investigates the cause and purport of "treasury circular No. 5," issued January 9 last, according to the assertion here today of Rudolph Spreckels, president of the First National bank of San Francisco, and prominent progressive.

"This circular directs that customs money be deposited with national banks. I believe this order is in direct conflict with the law governing control of these moneys and must therefore be rescinded," said Spreckels.

Questions Motive

"We have a right to question the motive that prompted such action."

"If this order be not promptly rescinded, we will witness a marked and unusual increase of deposits, principally with the New York National banks, amounting to more than \$200,000,000 in gold annually in New York alone."

"When the new administration takes charge of the treasury, it will be obliged to demand the return of these funds to the government."

"The effect of the withdrawal of (Continued on Page Six)

WEATHER

For La Crosse and vicinity: Fair tonight and Saturday; not much change in temperature.

For Wisconsin and Iowa: Fair tonight and Saturday; not much change in temperature.

For Minnesota: Fair tonight and Saturday; colder northwest portion tonight.

Weather Conditions

The temperature is slightly below zero at a few stations in the northern lake region and from 2 to 20 degrees below throughout a narrow strip extending from British Columbia southeastward through Montana, Wyoming, into western South Dakota and western Nebraska. The pressure continues above normal except from Manitoba to the north Atlantic coast, and over the south Pacific slope, where it is slightly below. The weather has been generally fair during the past 24 hours except from Texas and Oklahoma westward to the south Pacific coast where light rain or snow has fallen and continues locally this morning. Fair weather will probably continue in this section tonight and Saturday without much change in temperature.

SALOONMEN CASES ARE POSTPONED

Illness of District Attorney Law Causes Adjournment; Accused of Selling to Minor

FIRST ARREST IN SIX YEARS

Brindley Says There Never Has Been Jury Conviction in This County

The cases against William J. Weigel and H. S. Word, J. Blajeska and Emil Wermuth, charged with selling liquor to a minor, was adjourned by Judge John Brindley this morning owing to illness of District Attorney D. S. Law. These saloonkeepers were on the list of names given by Frank Weigant, age 18, who made a confession to charges of embezzlement and declared that he was in the habit of drinking in several local saloons. They will be arraigned for trial within the next week.

Judge John Brindley in speaking of prosecutions of saloon keepers for selling liquor to minors today, declared that there has never been a saloon keeper convicted of this crime by a jury in La Crosse county.

Juries Do Not Convict

During the last six years there has not been any arrests made upon this charge because of the hopelessness of conviction, according to Chief of Police John Webber. He said that he could keep the court busy with cases of this kind but that past experience has shown him that they would invariably be acquitted and nothing would be gained.

It is probable that the severity of the state law which makes it compulsory on the common council to revoke the license of a saloon keeper found or pleading guilty to breaking the saloon laws, awakened the sympathies of the juries who were not willing to deprive a man of his means of livelihood even though he was guilty of infractions of the law.

AWARD TROPHIES IN BILLIARD TOURNAMENT

Trophies in the La Crosse club billiard tournament were awarded at a luncheon at the club last night. Following are the winners: Class A, C. W. Dow; class B, W. F. Hurling; class C, John P. Salzer; class D, D. S. Law. The trophies were: Class A, ivory paperweight; class B, silver match safe; class C, Persian leather pocketbook; class D, silver pocket-knife. All the trophies were engraved with the name of the winner. The improvement trophy, a cup, was won by C. J. Marboe.

D. S. Law was tournament winner, by winning all of his games in the class winners' play. The championship shield presented by D. W. MacWillie will be played for about March 1. The trophy is to be the property of any tournament winner capturing it three times.

POLICE OFFICIALS IMPLICATED

NEW YORK, Feb. 7.—New York's widely discussed and seemingly invulnerable police "system" of graft and blackmail has been cracked wide open. With three captains, an inspector and a deputy police commissioner at headquarters directly implicated in the collection of vice protection money, District Attorney Whitman today began a careful marshaling of the facts in his possession to present before a grand jury Monday.

FEAR RACE WAR

HOUSTON, Mich., Feb. 7.—A serious race war is threatened here today as the result of the lynching of Jim Jones, a negro, by a mob seeking to avenge the death of Mrs. J. Williamson, who was found murdered in her home. Governor Brewer has been appealed to for help by the authorities.

GETS SAGE PENSION

MIDDLETOWN, Conn., Feb. 7.—Ellisha T. Sage, who has run the elevator in the municipal building here for years, had been granted a pension of \$25 a month by Mrs. Russell Sage. His grandfather and the grandfather of Russell Sage were brothers.

TUXEDO FOR WOMEN

NEW YORK, Feb. 7.—A Tuxedo for women made as much like a man's Tuxedo as possible, is the latest fashion put forth today by the National Ladies' Tailors and Dressmakers' association, holding its fifth annual convention here.

LACK OF FUNDS TO END THE WAR

Powers Will Refuse to Let Warring Nations Have Money to Keep Up Fight

PREDICT NEGOTIATIONS AT ONCE

Balkan States Near Ruin and It Is Thought Peace Conference Will Open in Week

LONDON, Feb. 7.—Financial weakness will end the Balkan war more quickly than losses on the field and the destruction of cities, in the opinion of ambassadors of the powers, and it was believed today that all Europe would refuse to loan money either to Turkey or the allies until peace is made.

Greece, Bulgaria, Montenegro and Serbia are believed to be almost as impoverished as is the Ottoman empire. It is thought that negotiations will be resumed within a week.

The youth and flower of the Balkan nations have been slain and wounded; business is at a standstill; crops have been ruined and the nations face famine because there are no farmers to plant the spring crops. The people are beginning to complain that they are ruining themselves by putting up \$5,000,000 a day for their armies.

Turks Lose Thousands

CONSTANTINOPLE, Feb. 7.—Desperate fighting was reported again today from the peninsula of Gallipoli, where the Bulgarians are endeavoring to open a way for the Greek fleet up the Dardanelles.

Semi-official statements confirmed the report that the Turks lost several thousand men in yesterday's battle.

After a meeting this afternoon of the committee of national defense it was said that Shiek-ul-Islam, high priest of the Mohammedan church, had proclaimed a holy war throughout the muslim world.

Roumania Demands Land

BUCHAREST, Feb. 7.—The foreign office today sent instructions to the Roumanian envoy at Sofia, ordering him to demand of Bulgaria a slice of Silistria in return for her neutrality in the Balkan struggle.

It is believed that Roumania will make war on Bulgaria if her demands are not promptly granted.

ALLEGED BRUTALITY IN FORCE FEEDING

LONDON, Feb. 7.—Home Secretary McKenna today ordered a thorough inquiry into charges of brutality made by Miss May Billinghurst, a crippled suffragette, recently released from Holloway prison, where she said she was the victim of atrocious forcible feedings.

Declaring a hunger strike, Miss Billinghurst said that the doctor who attempted to make her eat, tried to force food through her nostrils. Unable to jam the tube into her nose because of a nasal duct obstruction, the doctor deliberately broke off one of her teeth with an iron bar, according to the charges.

YOUTH BREAKS HIS PAROLE BY FRAUD

Accused of obtaining money on false pretenses, Frank Waska, age 18, is under arrest. Waska was recently paroled from Waukegan.

It is alleged that he mingled with the crowd of employees of the La Crosse Plow works on their last pay day and presented himself at the cashier's window and called for the pay of No. 443. He received an envelope containing a little more than \$7 and the fraud was not discovered until the man rightfully entitled to the money made his appearance.

WOULD ANNUL DIVORCE

CHICAGO, Feb. 7.—Formal demand was made by the state today that the divorce decree granted Mrs. Grace B. Guggenheim-Wahl from William Guggenheim, New York millionaire, be set aside on the grounds of fraud and collusion. The motion was made before Judge Oscar Heard of the circuit court and it marked the first entrance of the state into this cause celebre. Heretofore only the principals in the suit have been concerned.

TO ARRANGE STRIKE

CLEVELAND, Ohio, Feb. 7.—National officers of the organization are expected here Monday to complete preparations for the predicted strike on fifty-two railroads of the eastern division. The counting of the strike vote will be finished Sunday.

BEACH ACQUITTED

AIKEN, S. C., Feb. 7.—Frederick O. Beach was held not guilty on the charge of assaulting his wife here on Feb. 26, 1912, by a verdict returned by the jury late this afternoon.

SCOUTS TO PLAY AT "Y"

A basketball game will be played between a Boy Scout team and a Y. M. C. A. quintet at the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium Saturday evening.

TO ARRAIGN RENTZ EARLY TOMORROW

Self-Confessed Murderer of Aged Big Creek Couple to Be Sentenced

PENALTY IS LIFE IN PRISON

Judge E. C. Higbee to Go to Sparta to Pass Judgment; Plea of Guilty Expected

Avoid Rentz, the self-confessed murderer of Mr. and Mrs. August Harmon of Big Creek, Monroe county, will be arraigned before Judge E. C. Higbee at Sparta tomorrow morning. Rentz has declared his intention of entering a plea of guilty and will receive his sentence within a few moments after being arraigned. The penalty of his crime is life imprisonment in the state penitentiary.

Rentz, a farm lad twenty years old, went to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harmon Thursday, January 30 and shot the aged couple with a twenty-two calibre rifle. Mr. Harmon was found dead behind the barn and his wife was found lying dead in her bed room, by neighbors two days later.

The youth was seen leaving the home on the afternoon of the crime wearing a false mustache and carrying a rifle. He was arrested on the night that the double murder was discovered, made a confession to District Attorney T. C. Abel and removed to the La Crosse county jail.

Rentz is a brother-in-law of John Harmon, the son of the murdered couple. He has been confined in the Monroe county jail since Monday when he waived preliminary examination.

SCHUBERT OPPOSES BILL IN MADISON

City Attorney A. H. Schubert is in Madison opposing a bill which is in the hands of the senate excise committee which contemplates compelling cities to turn over half the liquor license money collected to the county for work on roads. City officials declare that if the bill were enacted into a law it would mean an annual loss to the city of La Crosse of \$16,000. Mr. Schubert is also working in favor of a proposed amendment to the law governing damage claims against the city shortening the time of filing notice of claim from thirty days to ten days.

BUNTING GUEST OF LA CROSSE DOCTORS

Dr. C. H. Bunting, formerly of La Crosse and now a professor at the University of Wisconsin, gave a short address on "white cells of blood" at a banquet given in his honor at the La Crosse Club by the La Crosse Medical association last night. About twenty-five members of the association were present.

The banquet was served under the direction of A. E. Johnson, who was recently engaged to take charge of the management of the La Crosse Club.

LAST TRUST DISSOLVES

DETROIT, Mich., Feb. 7.—Dissolution of another "patent monopoly"—the shoe last trust—was effected here today by the department of justice when eighteen firms and a score of individual defendants accepted a final decree of the United States district court and agreed to modifications in their plan of doing business.

TELLS RUBBER ATROCITIES

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7.—A graphic report of atrocities committed by the British against the native rubber gatherers of the Putumayo region of Peru, made by U. S. Consul Stuart Fuller after a five months trip through the heart of the South American jungles today sent to congress by President Taft.

Tomorrow

On page three will appear the first installment of The Tribune's new story

The Just and the Unjust

—By—
Vaughn Kester

Author of "The Prodigal Judge."
This is a story well worth reading.

SENATE EXONERATES H. L. EKERN COURT DECISION FAVORS EKERN SENATE TURNS DOWN ANDERSON

BOSSHARD LEADS EXCITING CAUSE

Solons by Overwhelming Majority Declare Action of Governor Is Illegal and Unjust to Ekern

SENATE THEN ADOPTS REPORT

Approves Findings of Committee of the Whole which Chastise the Governor in Vigorous Terms

MADISON, Wis., Feb. 7.—In a resolution comprising fourteen separate findings the senate last night exonerated Insurance Commissioner Herman L. Ekern from the charge that he had acted as campaign manager for L. L. Johnson in the latter's speakership campaign, and characterized Governor McGovern's action in ordering his removal as unjust and illegal and as having been pre-arranged for reasons other than those alleged in the complaint, which alleged reasons are declared untrue. The report refused to confirm the appointment of L. A. Anderson in Ekern's stead.

Bosshard on Committee

At the conclusion of Mr. Aylward's argument at 4:15 the sub-committee, consisting of Senators Bosshard, Huston and Skogmo was named by the chair upon motion of Senator Martin, and was instructed to submit tentative findings to the committee of the whole at 7:30 in the evening. Not until 10 o'clock was the committee ready to present its report, which it had unanimously adopted.

Immediately minority reports were submitted by Senator Browne and Senator Killeen, both "bull moose."

Senator Bosshard arose and moved the adoption of the majority report. Senator Killeen moved the substitution of his own minority report, and the question was upon the amendment.

Senator Killeen made a plea for his amendment, reiterating its contention that the senate was without jurisdiction and that the governor had not been and could not with dignity be represented, notwithstanding the senate's invitation. Killeen added that in his opinion the senate's action was in contempt of the circuit court before which was pending the Ekern injunction proceedings.

Senator Bosshard replied vigorously to Senator Killeen, reiterating the purposes and ends upon which the investigation was based: that the senate must have before it those essential and hitherto undisclosed facts necessary to intelligent action upon the question of Anderson's confirmation; facts upon which to base new legislation governing executive removals from office, should legislation be deemed necessary.

Defends Ekern

Senator Huston (Dem.) followed with an analysis of the evidence and a defense of Mr. Ekern, in the course of which he indulged in vigorous denunciation of the governor for his pre-emptory action.

A Decisive Victory

Politicians today expressed no surprise at the action of the upper house of the legislature. Many declared the action to be the most sensational political development of a decade and that in demonstrating the ironclad control of the LaFollette forces in the state, the senate had dealt a body blow to Governor McGovern and his political aspirations. The Ekern matter came as the first test of strength between the rival leaders since McGovern embraced the "bull moose" doctrine during the campaign last fall, and LaFollette was credited with having "paid the debt" he promised when McGovern's aides went over to the Roosevelt cause at the Chicago convention.

Madison was a hot bed of gossip last night and today. Chief interest was in what the governor will do to collect his scattered forces, and Ekern was being hailed as the victor. Many declared the fate of the bull moose party in Wisconsin hangs in the balance, and that with McGovern, the avowed leader of the Roosevelt forces, discredited, many would desert the standard of the man from Sagamore Hill. This was denied by progressives.

The findings adopted in the resolution were as follows:

"First: That the charges made and preferred in the affidavit and complaint of Harry Curran Wilbur are untrue and without foundation in fact.

"Second: That on Sunday, January 5, 1913, and before any charges had been preferred or filed against said Herman L. Ekern or any hearing had thereon, Francis E. McGovern, governor of Wisconsin, stated

THEY TURN DOWN L. A. ANDERSON

Senators Decline to Confirm Governor's Appointment for Insurance Commissioner

THE GOVERNOR RE-APPOINTS HIM

Coup of Executive to Hold Anderson in Office Declared Illegal by Opposition Leaders

MADISON, Wis., Feb. 7.—(Special.)—The order of business in the senate last night following its adoption of the report of the committee of the whole in the Ekern matter was to pass upon the appointment of L. A. Anderson, Gov. McGovern's appointee to succeed Ekern as insurance commissioner. By a vote of 22 to 6 the senate declined to confirm Anderson.

Immediately following the senate's refusal to confirm the appointment of Anderson Governor McGovern re-appointed Anderson at 1 o'clock this morning. This does not mean that Anderson will ever hold the job or draw the salary. In fact, say senate leaders, the Governor's reappointment is "out of order."

Under the law an appointee of the governor for twenty days following his appointment is the legal head of the department, it is claimed, and if, at the end of this time the senate fails or refuses to confirm the appointment, the appointment lapses. McGovern, it is pointed out, undoubtedly believes he can keep Anderson commissioner by reappointing him at the expiration of every twenty days, regardless of what the senate wishes.

Members of the majority, who last night publicly rebuked the governor, have been busy looking up the parliamentary procedure and quoted from Jefferson's manual to the effect that in parliament a question once decided, this has been modified by rule providing that for a period of one legislative day a motion to reconsider may be entertained in the senate. This motion must be made by a member who voted with the majority, however, and this has not been done. It is contended the governor's hopes of again bringing Anderson before the senate are groundless.

Senator Killeen, who was on the governor's side throughout the fight yesterday, late last night explained his position by the assertion that in failing to confirm Anderson the senate not only legislated him out of a job but out of the courts. To prevent this destruction of Anderson's legal standing may also have prompted the executive's reappointment.

and declared to Nils P. Haugen, a member of the Wisconsin Tax commission, that he had determined and it was his purpose to remove said Herman L. Ekern from the office of commissioner of insurance.

"Third: That the said Francis E. McGovern, governor on said last named date, consulted and advised with the said Nils P. Haugen, tax commissioner, as to the advisability of appointing Lewis A. Anderson as successor to Herman L. Ekern, commissioner of insurance, and inquired as to his fitness and qualifications and his standing among the Norwegians of Wisconsin.

"Fourth: That on Tuesday, January 7, 1913, and before any charges had been preferred or filed against said Herman L. Ekern, or any hearing had thereon, the said Francis E. McGovern, governor, F. M. Wilcox, state claim agent, and legal advisor to the governor, and Harry C. Wilbur, executive clerk, counseled and advised with A. F. Belitz, assistant revisor of the Wisconsin statutes, with reference to the power of the governor to remove the said Herman L. Ekern, commissioner of insurance, without hearing or trial.

"Fifth: That at the request of the said Francis E. McGovern, governor, F. M. Wilcox and Harry C. Wilbur, the said A. F. Belitz on said 7th day of January, 1913, prepared a form of affidavit and complaint for the removal of said Herman L. Ekern, commissioner of insurance, and also prepared a blank form of order for the removal of the said commissioner of insurance, before any hearing had been had on said affidavit.

"Sixth: That on Wednesday, January 8, at 10:40 a. m., the said A. F. Belitz, under direction of the said governor, prepared a complete order of removal of said Herman L. Ekern as commissioner of insurance. (Additional Markets on Page 5)

CAN'T USE FORCE TO INSTALL HIM

Circuit Court Says Governor Exhausted His Authority when He Made the Appointment

THIS IS VICTORY FOR EKERN

All He Has to Do Now Is to Hold Fort Against Men Without Official Authority

MADISON, Wis., Feb. 7.—(Special.)—Notwithstanding Judge E. R. Stevens in circuit court today declined to issue a permanent injunction restraining Governor Francis E. McGovern from forcibly ejecting Herman L. Ekern from the office of insurance commissioner, the effect of the decision was a victory for Ekern, in that it leaves him in possession of the office, and lays down legal dicta denying the right of the governor to remove him or seek his removal excepting through orderly proceedings in a competent court, and the opinion therefore has all the substantial effect of the injunctive order sought.

The Decision

In substance the rulings of Judge Stevens were as follows:

That the governor exhausted his authority when he issued his order of removal.

That the governor has no authority to forcibly install Anderson in office, and that in attempting to do so he exceeded his authority.

That the title of governor is no protection from the consequences of acts in excess of authority—i.e., that Governor McGovern, Essmann and Anderson might be made the subject of assault proceedings.

That the court will not say that by reason of the commission given him by the governor, Anderson has prima facie title to the office of insurance commissioner.

The court, while it declines to issue a permanent injunction restraining the governor and his associates from further trespassing upon Ekern, intimates that a repetition of violence may be made the basis of an order by the court.

The effect of this is to leave Ekern in possession of the office, from which the governor cannot oust him except by a successful proceeding in quo warranto.

The next move in the controversy will be up to McGovern not Ekern, according to people here who have watched the case. Ekern will sit tight on the job, flanked by attorneys, until something happens.

Not only is it the opinion of John Aylward, Ekern's attorney, that under the ruling of Judge Stevens it will be impossible for the governor to use force in ousting Ekern, but according to Senator Huston, it is impossible for L. A. Anderson to start quo warranto proceedings because the senate has refused to approve his appointment. The governor won't talk.

Any hundred people about the capitol will tell a hundred things that may happen. They range all the way from the dynamiting of the north wing by the governor, to the impeachment of the governor by the senate.

John Aylward in an interview said: "The decision gives us just what we want. The court has ruled that the governor exhausted his power in making Anderson's appointment and that he has no power to install an officer—much less to use force in such attempt."

"As I view it the courts hold that the governor cannot hide behind his official title to avoid the effect of acts in excess of his authority. Under this decision, the governor, Anderson and Essmann have been guilty of an assault and could be punished under the criminal laws of this state. The court has been urged on behalf of the governor and Anderson to decide that Anderson, holding the governor's commission, was prima facie entitled to the office. The court refuses to do this. The effect of the decision is therefore to leave Ekern in possession of the office, with a warning to the governor, Essmann and Anderson that force may not be resorted to to oust him. The decision therefore puts it up to the governor and Anderson to institute quo warranto proceedings to try the title to the office in a legal and orderly way."

BUCKET SHOPPERS FINED

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7.—Fines aggregating \$50,000 were today imposed by Justice Stafford in criminal court on eight "bucket shop" proprietors indicted through the efforts of the department of justice in April, 1910.

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FEBRUARY CLEARANCE SALE

Opens Tomorrow with the Greatest Array of Values we have ever offered our patrons. Getting rid of Winter Goods to make room for new spring stocks. For two weeks we will balance up all our lines, dispose of all Odds and Ends and discontinued styles, including our entire stock, absolutely nothing reserved. Note the prices below and see how determined we are and remember there are many more BARGAINS which cannot be mentioned in this limited space.

This Season's Last "Price Cutting" in MILLINERY

One lot of Ladies', Misses' and Children's Hats and Infants' and Children's Bonnets, **49c**
at
Other lots reduced to.....\$1.00, \$1.98 and \$2.98
Nothing higher.

Fancy Feathers and Quills, **5 and 10c**
values to \$1.00, in two lots.

All our Knitted and hand Crocheted Auto Hoods and Caps in three lots—

Values to 50c, at **29c** | Values to 98c, at **39c** | Values to \$2, at **79c**

February Sale of Hand Bags

Never were such values ever offered.
All Mesh, Coin and Beaded Bags, **25c**
50c value, at
Leather Hand Bags, 75c value, **39c**
at
\$1.50 value, at **69c** | \$2.50 value, at **79c** | \$3.00 value, at **98c**

Every Item in the HAIR Goods Dept. at a Big Cut in Price

Carmen Hair Nets, 6 **19c**
for
Switches, wavy sanitary hair, values to **79c**
\$2.25, at each
Large Cluster Puffs and Psyche effects, values to \$3.00, at **79c**
Hair Rolls, 35c values, **19c**
at
Shell Goods, all Fancy and Mounted Barrettes and Combs, at Half Price.

Wonderful GLOVE Bargains

Ladies' and Misses' Chamoisette, Cashmere and Wool Gloves and Yarn Mittens, value **19c**
to 35c, at pair
Ladies' long Chamoisette Gloves, **39c**
value to 75c, at pair
Ladies' long Silk Gloves, value to **59c**
\$1.25, at pair
Ladies' long Kid Gloves, Suedes, **\$1.49**
Glaces and Capes, values to \$3.50,
Ladies' Mocha and Glace Kid Gloves. In this lot are a line of silk lined Capes, value **79c**
to \$1.75, at pair
Values to \$1.00, at pair 59c
Ladies' and Boys' Kid Mittens, wool lined, values to \$1.25, at pair **49c**
Children's Kid Mittens, **29c**
value to 59c, at pair
Children's and Misses' Yarn Mittens and Gloves, value to 25c, pair **12 1/2c**
Value to 19c, at pair 5c

HANDKERCHIEF Values

Ladies' plain all linen Handkerchiefs, and fancy initialed styles, at each **3 1/2c**
Men's all linen Handkerchiefs, at **7 1/2c**
each
Ladies' and Men's Handkerchiefs, with white and colored fancy initials, all linen, **19c**
35c value, at each

STYLISH NECKWEAR At A Big Discount

Jabots and Collars, value to 50c, **10c**
at
Values to \$1.00, at **49c** | Values to \$3.98, at **98c**
Knit Mufflers, value to 50c, **15c**
at

Greatest of All Corset Sales

Corset sale, the like of which is liable never to occur again. A remarkable purchase of travelers' samples and surplus stock of several leading corset manufacturers gives us the opportunity to offer you High Grade Corsets at less than **HALF PRICE**. Will not attempt to describe these garments but emphasize that they are the newest models, including lace front as well as laced back styles. There are all sizes in each lot, different styles and materials. Every corset guaranteed and exchanged if not satisfactory during this sale. Inspect these corset bargains before purchasing elsewhere.

One lot of Corsets, value to \$1.00, at 37 1/2c	One lot of Corsets, value to \$3.50, at \$1.79
One lot of Corsets, value to \$1.25, at 49c	One lot of Corsets, value to \$6.00, at \$2.49
One lot of Corsets, value to \$1.75, at 79c	One lot of Corsets, value to \$8.00, at \$3.98
One lot of Corsets, value to \$3.00, at \$1.29	One lot of Corsets, value to \$10.00, at \$4.98

PRISONERS TRY ESCAPE

CHICAGO, Feb. 7.—Two prisoners on trial for burglary in Judge T. G. Windes' court here, made a desperate attempt to escape from the court room yesterday afternoon. Five bailiffs pursued them into the corridors of the criminal court building

and subdued them after a fierce fight. The men were Robert Lynch and James Sullivan.

TO FREE SMITH

CLEVELAND, Ohio, Feb. 7.—Peter Smith, structural ironworker of Cleveland recently convicted in the

dynamite trials in Indianapolis, likely will be released from Leavenworth prison in a few days. Minnie A. Friets and George Bogart, both of this city before Federal Judge Day qualified on the \$40,000 bond necessary to free Smith.

SENATOR CULLOM ILL

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7.—The venerable Senator Cullom of Illinois, oldest member of the upper house, is ill here and his friends are worried over his condition. The senator has a bad cold.

TO PROBE MINE RIOTS

CHARLESTON, W. Va., Feb. 7.—Adjutant General Elliott, head of the

state militia announced his intentions of going to the Sabin and Paint Creek coal strike districts to investigate disturbances which have again broken out there. According to latest reports today no one was hurt in the outbreak which took place at Acme, a mining camp on the Cabin Creek.

Constipation

Impossible to be well. The foe to good health. Correct at once. **Ayer's Pills.** One at bedtime. Sold for 60 years. J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.

FARMERS' SCHOOL OPENS MONDAY

Topics of Interest to Every Member of the Farm Family on Program

PRIZES TO BE GIVEN EXHIBITORS

Home-makers' Conference to Be Held in Connection with Course at Farm School

A program of subjects of interest to every member of the farmer's family, containing lectures and addresses on every phase of farm life and work, will be given at the corn and farm management school by the college of agriculture of the University of Wisconsin in co-operation with the La Crosse county schools of agriculture and domestic economy next week. The school, which will also include a homemakers conference, will open Monday and continue until Saturday.

Instructors, expert in all lines of agriculture and domestic economy, will lecture and demonstrate along educational and practical lines. A long list of valuable prizes will be given the winners in the corn, grain, poultry and farm animal competitive exhibition. Entries will begin Saturday and continue until 10:30 a. m. Monday.

The programs of the school and conference were announced today as follows:

Corn and Farm Management School Saturday afternoon, February 8, and Monday, February 10, 8 to 10:30 a. m.—Entry of corn, grain and other farm products.

Instructors
Farm Management—Prof. D. H. Otis, Prof. Hibbard, Prof. Elliott.
Crops—Prof. C. P. Norgard.

Monday, February 10
10:30 a. m.—The Farm Well Planned.

1:30 p. m.—Factors that Will Increase the Corn Yield.

2:30 p. m.—Section 1: Demonstration Test of Seed Corn Selected at Various Periods Throughout the Fall. Section 2: Planning the Farm for Systematic Crop Rotation (Each man to plant his own farm and replant it).

Tuesday, February 11
9:30 a. m.—Section 1: Planning the Farm for Systematic Crop Rotation. Section 2: Demonstration Test of Seed Corn Selected at Various Periods Throughout the Fall.

11 a. m.—The Labor Well Used.
1:30 p. m.—Corn and its Relation to Crop Rotation.

2:30 p. m.—Section 1: Corn Judging. Section 2: Planning the Distribution of Farm Labor.

Wednesday, February 12
9:30 a. m.—Section 1: Planning the Distribution of Farm Labor. Section 2: Corn Judging.

11 a. m.—The Value and Use of Farm Accounts.

1:30 p. m.—Lecture and Demonstration—Smit Treatment of Grains.

2:30 p. m.—Section 1: Judging Grains. Section 2: Keeping Records of Farmers Own Farms.

Thursday, February 13
9:30 a. m.—Section 1: Keeping Records of Farmers' Own Farms. Section 2: Judging Grains.

11 a. m.—Co-operation.

Awarding of prizes on the exhibit of corn, grain and other farm products will be made during the Farmers' course which immediately follows this program.

PROGRAM FARMERS' COURSE
Thursday, February 13
1:30 p. m.—The Growing of Pure Bred Seed Grains, Prof. C. P. Norgard. The Value of the County Order of the State Experiment association to La Crosse County Farmers, S. P. Markle, La Crosse. Field Inspection of Pure Bred Seed Farms, Frank E. Balmer.

3:30 p. m.—Annual Meeting of the La Crosse County Order of the State Experiment association.

8 p. m.—Co-operation in the Home, Miss Cora E. Binzel, Madison, Wis. Local Diseases of Cabbages (illustrated), Mr. R. B. Wilcox, Madison, Wis.

Friday, February 14
9:00 a. m.—Section 1: Rope Work, Mr. W. E. Spreiter. Section 2: Testing Milk, Mr. W. E. Morris.

10:00 a. m.—Alfalfa Growing, Mr. Frank E. Balmer.

11:00 a. m.—Diseases of Truck Crops, Mr. R. B. Wilcox.

1:30 p. m.—Horse Judging, J. L. Tormey, Madison. Poultry Judging, Prof. J. G. Halpin, Madison, Wis.

3:00 p. m.—Poultry Lecture (illustrated), Prof. J. G. Halpin. Live Stock Farming of the British Isles (illustrated), Mr. J. L. Tormey.

Saturday, February 15
8:45 a. m.—Cow Demonstration, Mr. W. E. Morris.

9:45 a. m.—How I Feed My Dairy Cows, Mr. H. W. Griswold, West Salem.

10:30 a. m.—The Planning of Farm Buildings, Mr. W. E. Spreiter.

11:15 a. m.—A Richer Rural Life, Mr. Frank E. Balmer.

1:30 p. m.—The Control and Prevention of Tuberculosis, Prof. E. G. Hastings, Madison, Wis. Tuberculosis Post Mortem Demonstration, Dr. O. H. Eliason, state veterinarian.

8:00 p. m.—The Yellowstone National Park (illustrated), Mr. W. E. Morris.

HOME MAKERS' CONFERENCE PROGRAM
Thursday, February 13
1:30 p. m.—The Organization of the Work of the Home, Miss Lucile W. Reynolds.

2:30 p. m.—Food for Growing Child, with demonstration on School Lunches, Miss Cora E. Binzel, Madison, Wis.

8:00 p. m.—Co-operation in the Home, Miss Cora E. Binzel. Local

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11:00 a. m.—Art Needlework for the Home, Miss Rachel McElowney.

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"You don't say?" daddy exclaimed. "And what seems to ail her?"

"We don't 'zactly know. We washed her face. The water was a little warm. And now her face looks queer. Her 'plexion seems sort of spoiled."

"Dear me," said daddy; "I'm sorry. Well, I dare say we shall have to send Miss Angelina to the dolly doctor. Perhaps they can give her another complexion, and then I think I wouldn't wash her face in warm water. We'll find what the dolly doctor says about washing."

"We didn't know there was a dolly doctor," the children said.

"Oh, my, yes!" daddy replied. "He's a sort of relation of Santa Claus, I should think. I've never been able to find out where he lives, though. Maybe he stays up at the north pole near Santa's house; maybe with the fairies."

"The way I found out about the dolly doctor was this. I was in a toy store one day before Christmas—never mind why—when the dearest little girl in a velvet coat and hat came in.

"She carried a great big dolly in her arms, and I saw at once dolly's head was wrapped up with bands of muslin.

"As the little girl stopped beside me I looked down and was surprised to see her smile. Little girls who have broken dolls do not smile as a rule.

"It's too bad your dolly is hurt," I said to the little mother. She smiled back pityingly.

"I duss you don't know about the dollies' hospital," she replied. "It's an awful nice place, my mamma says. They have a kind doctor, and he makes the dollies just as good as new."

"That's fine," I answered. "And where does the dolly doctor live?"

"Ah, I don't know! Somewhere in fairyland perhaps. But my mamma says it's a lovely place, and lots and lots of little dollies go there. There are dollies with broken heads, dollies that have no hair, dollies that have lost a leg and some that have lost arms, but the dolly doctor mends them up just as nice as can be. And when they go home the little girls say, 'How well you are looking,' and kiss them and hug them."

"If you don't know where the dolly doctor lives how are you going to find him?" I asked.

"Oh, the little girl piped, smiling again at my stupidity, 'just leave dolly with the toy man. He knows where to send her.'

"And so Evelyn's doll can go there. Have her dressed and wrapped up some morning, and I'll see that she goes to the nice dolly hospital too."

Daddy's Bedtime Story—

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And His

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3-Fri	7,514	3-Sunday	7,537
4-Sat	7,514	4-Mon	7,537
5-Sunday	7,518	5-Tues	7,542
6-Mon	7,521	6-Wed	7,542
7-Tues	7,521	7-Thur	7,542
8-Wed	7,517	8-Fri	7,539
9-Thur	7,517	9-Sat	7,539
10-Fri	7,519	10-Sunday	7,538
11-Sat	7,519	11-Mon	7,538
12-Sunday	7,524	12-Tues	7,540
13-Mon	7,524	13-Wed	7,540
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A. E. BLECKMAN, Notary Public.

DR. WILEY HE IS ADVERTISING AGAIN

This was an awful thing to say to the doctors, but Dr. Wiley said it to the doctors at Denver recently. Nor did he say it to them one at a time, but to a whole convention of doctors. Then it was published in the papers, and of course the lawyers and the ministers also read it. Poor old Doc Wiley! By the way, this is what Dr. Wiley said:

"The day is coming when there will be but two great learned professions in the world—agriculture and teaching. When the country arrives at such a state of health that the services of physicians may be dispensed with, the lawyer will pass as a necessary evil and expense, and when the doctor and lawyer are no longer needed, we will all get to heaven without the aid of a preacher."

There is much in the way one says things. This might have been a serious reference to the millennium, or it might have been a joke. If it was neither one nor the other it is probable that Dr. Wiley will shortly have need of all three of the functionaries of which his prophecy makes such off-hand disposal. It will be doctor, lawyer, minister, and no doubt the minister will have the hardest job of all. However, it pays to advertise.

THE TRIBUNE TO PUBLISH GREATEST KESTER NOVEL

Tomorrow we publish the first installment of Vaughn Kester's wonderful story, "The Just and the Unjust." Kester started this story before he wrote his now famous "The Prodigal Judge." It was barely completed when death took the talented novelist, and was found together with another complete but unpublished novel in his effects. Following is a brief synopsis of "The Just and the Unjust:"

While Mr. Shrimplin, the lamp lighter of Mt. Hope, is entertaining his son Custar, with tales of his deeds of valor out west, John North is sitting at his window musing on the futility of his past. It is Thanksgiving day. North sees Marshall Langham entering his office across the street and goes there. He tells Langham he intends to sell the last bonds that he holds to Archibald McBride, a local shop keeper, and

leave the town. Langham invites North to come to his home for dinner as his wife, Evelyn Langham, formerly a sweetheart of North's, has just returned. John declines. North leaves and goes to McBride's shop to dispose of his bonds and then returns to his room. He finds Evelyn Langham, Marshall's wife, waiting for him. She confesses that she is unhappily married and begs North to renew his attentions to her. He sends her away. Meanwhile at Langham's office, Andy Gilmore, an unscrupulous gambler, who has Langham in his clutches, demands that Marshall exert his influence over Moxlow, the prosecutor and his law partner, to make things easier for him (Gilmore) to carry on his gambling den, and demands that Langham take up his notes promptly or he (Gilmore) will ruin him. Shrimplin, out to light the lamps, notices that the door of McBride's store is open and investigates. He finds the old recluse murdered in the back room of the shop. Shrimplin calls for help. McBride's safe has been robbed of valuable papers and a large sum of money. The body is removed to McBride's home, where Gilmore and a number of other citizens remain. Marshall Langham comes to McBride's home drunk and tells Gilmore he is in a position to take up his notes. North goes to General Herbert's home to say goodbye to Elizabeth Herbert. The next morning Joe Montgomery, the village derelict, comes to Gilmore's gambling den and tells of seeing Marshall Langham climb over McBride's shed the evening before. Gilmore bribes him to spread the news that it was North. The coroner orders North's return. Evelyn confesses to her husband that she was with North on the evening of the murder. North is returned and tells of his Thanksgiving day experiences, eliminating Evelyn's visit. Montgomery is called to the stand, and falsely incriminates North, who is sent to jail. Elizabeth Herbert confesses to her father her love for North. Gilmore tells Langham of Evelyn's visit to North's room, and shows Langham he has all the facts concerning the murder. Shrimplin brings Nellie Montgomery to Judge Langham's house to tell of Joe's failure to provide for his family. Judge Langham instructs Shrimplin to have Joe call. Joe appears and tells of being kept at Andy Gilmore's and admits that Gilmore induced him to give false testimony before the coroner. Joe accuses Marshall Langham. He returns to Gilmore and is sent out of town. Judge Langham calls on his son and demands an explanation. Marshall confesses his guilt. Gilmore calls at Langham's home in the latter's absence and makes love to Evelyn. She ridicules him and he leaves Mt. Hope. In a quarrel with her husband Evelyn is brought to understand the situation in the McBride murder and decides to maintain silence. The last day of the trial arrives. A verdict of guilty is handed down. John is sentenced to be hung. Elizabeth and her father attempt to reach the governor but to no avail. It is discovered that Judge Langham has committed suicide. On his deathbed Marshall Langham confesses. John North is prepared for execution. Elizabeth and General Herbert are on the lawn awaiting the sad news of John's death. It is time for the execution when suddenly across the lawn they see John approaching.

Miss Gould did not contract to support an English importation which indicates, at least, a tendency among the wealthy to believe in home made goods.

The old theory that great bodies move slowly is disproved. Didn't President Taft travel 125,000 miles in four years?

A law for age retirement of teachers is advocated. Good looking ones won't wait for any law to retire them.

A disappointed New York man committed suicide in a theater. Must have paid for his ticket.

A poor toupee spoils many a good shine, yet many prefer to hide their light under a bushel.

PRESENT SURETY BONDS

CHICAGO, Feb. 7.—Attorney E. N. Zoline for the Indianapolis dynamite conspirators asked the United States circuit court of appeals here for permission to file two surety bonds of \$60,000 each for Olaf E. Trevimoe and Patrick H. Clancy, of San Francisco.

In the original ruling made by the circuit surety bonds were not to be accepted, but the court has said that it would take the matter under advisement and give a decision probably today.

Ball of \$30,000 was submitted for Henry W. Leightner of Pittsburg and will be held up for approval.

TAFT APPOINTS

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7.—President Taft has appointed Levi M. Black, postmaster at Ireton, Iowa.

RAIL OFFICIAL DIES

DENVER, Colo., Feb. 7.—Joseph W. Gilly, treasurer of the Rio Grande railroad company and the oldest employe and officer of the company in point of service, died suddenly at his home here yesterday of heart failure.

Bravery in the Dark

A little girl remarked to her mamma on going to bed, "I am not afraid of the dark."

"No, of course not," replied her mamma.

"I was a little afraid once, when I went into the pantry to get a tart."

"What were you afraid of?"

"I was afraid I couldn't find the tarts."

Wanted to Know

The teacher was reading the history of England to some of the little pupils. When she came to the statement that Henry I never laughed after the death of his son, she noticed one of the little girls had raised her head and seemed very desirous of attracting her attention.

"Well, Amy," said teacher, "what is it?"

"Please, ma'am," said little Amy, "what did Henry I do when he was tickled?"

Promising Cub Reporter

A correspondent of the New York Evening Post, in a tribute to the country editors, tells this:

E. Prentiss Bailey was one of those men to whom the adjective "fatherly" is instinctively applied. His interest in his staff was intimate, and did not end when their work no longer came under his own personal supervision. Some years ago he was commending to my consideration a young man whose first training was had on the Utica Observer. He was bright, keen, reliable and with an excellent scent for news. But Mr. Bailey gently warned me that the boy's spelling was rudimentary, to say the least. With twinkling eyes he told me one day he was editing the "cub's" copy, for his interest in a young reporter would often lead him to lick a crude story into shape. One error was too outrageous to be passed by, and he turned reproachfully to the lad, and plaintively said: "Oh, Dickie, Dickie how do you spell 'income'?"

"Why, how have I got it, Mr. Bailey?"

"Here it is: 'I-n-c-u-m-e'."

"Oh, I forgot the 'b,' didn't I."

Gallantry in Cleveland

Here's a street car conversation that may or may not have a moral; at least, furnishes food for reflection. A friend of ours overheard it on a Euclid car:

"Isn't it awful," said one fair straphanger, "to have to stand up all the way home after shopping till your feet are sore?"

"Yes," said the other pretty fair straphanger. "And no chance for a seat."

"Well, I don't blame the men, sometimes. They say that woman never says 'thank you' if they do give up their seats."

"I always do. Wouldn't you say 'thank you' if one of these gentlemen should give you his seat?"

"No, I don't think I would."

"Why not?"

"I wouldn't be able to. I'd faint away."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

He Thought It Was Alive

Gilbert Parker, the English author, tells of an English gentleman who recently came to this country to visit some friends in California. "In common with most travelers he supposed game was plentiful everywhere in that state, so he carried with him the necessary guns and ammunition. "As his train neared San Bernardino—just before making the mountain climb—there was a delay. Several hours passed and still the train remained stationary; our traveler friend grew restive, and sought the porter of the Pullman car to ascertain the cause of the delay.

"It seems that in mounting the grade a freight train had broken apart, the rear portion having descended the grade and blocked the track. The porter informed him of the accident to the freight train and said 'There is a caboose on the track.'

"Immediately the 'hunter' instinct was awakened, hastening to his berth, he procured his gun and started for the door, saying:

"Show it to me! Show it to me!"—Hearst's Magazine.

German Coffee Cake

Made Without Yeast

By Mrs. Janet McKenzie Hill, Editor of the Boston Cooking School Magazine.

There is no warm bread quite as appropriate for Sunday morning breakfast as German Coffee Cake, yet it is seldom made by housewives who do not bake their own bread. If K C double raise Baking Powder is used it will be just as good as if raised with yeast and it will have the further advantage of being fresh and warm. Save this recipe and try it next Sunday.

K C German Coffee Cake

Two and one-fourth cups sifted flour; 3 level teaspoons K C Baking Powder; 1 level teaspoon salt; 2 tablespoons melted butter; 2 tablespoons sugar; 1 egg; milk.

Sift dry ingredients together, beat the egg, add milk and butter to the egg to make one and one-quarter cups; stir all together with inverted spoon to a stiff batter. Turn into biscuit pan and spread even. Brush top lightly with melted butter. Sprinkle sugar and ground cinnamon over the top. Bake in moderate oven.

Dutch Apple Cake or Prune Kuchen can be made with this same batter by covering the top with pared and sliced apples, or cooked prunes with the pits removed, and sides down. Dredge with sugar and cinnamon the same as for Coffee Cake.

"The Cook's Book" contains 90 just such delicious recipes. You can secure a copy free by sending the colored certificate placed in 25-cent cans of K C Baking Powder to the Jacques Mfg. Co., Chicago, being sure to write your name and address plainly.

EDITOR ARRESTED FOR ACCUSATIONS

Judge Declares Story of Bribery Confession Involving Him Constitutes a Libel

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Feb. 7.—Marlen E. Pew, editor of the Philadelphia News-Post was taken out of his bed shortly after midnight and arrested on charge of criminal libel. The warrant was issued by Magistrate William F. Campbell.

The charge was brought by former Assistant District Attorney William Gray on behalf of Magistrate James Carey, who claims that Pew libeled him when he printed the confession of J. Alexander Boyd, superintendent of Washington Park, this city, that he (Boyd) had bribed Carey to fix juries carrying damage suits against the Philadelphia Rapid Transit company.

Once more they were in the chart house, sitting side by side on the settee. Miss Dubbs stole out a sympathetic hand, and gripped Captain Kettle's with her very capable fingers. "It's been very hard for him, poor old man, but we have to face these misfortunes."

"Yes," said Kettle, and drew his hand away.

"I suppose you'd like to do something for him?"

"Yes," said Kettle, and rested his torpedoes in the heel of his fist.

"It would be a charity if you did."

"No," said the little sailor, and stood briskly to his feet. "Miss," he said, "it'll be hard for you to understand, but that man's my old seadaddy. His wife was all the mother I ever knew. The pair of them brought me up, and a hard enough pinch it must have been, but when there wasn't enough to go round, they were the ones that went without. That happened more than once. There were times when employment was scarce, and they were nipped, miss, badly nipped; but there was always tucker for me, and clothes, and school-pence, and that's what I'm remembering now. When first I came to sea, Mrs. Farnish—I used to call her mother, y' know, miss—she said, 'You'll look after the old man, Owen,' and I said, 'I would, and I've just got to. You see, miss, she was all the mother I've ever known, and anyway, I never went back on my word. I couldn't throw charity to Captain Farnish, miss Dubbs. He's got to have his ship back, with all that's in her in the way of cargo, just as she was given to me by Sir George. And now, miss Dubbs, dear, I know what you think, and you can say it presently. I know in my present state I'm no man for a splendid lady like you to marry, and so I want you please to consider our engagement at an end.'"

"You throw me off, do you, Captain?"

"If you put it that way."

"Then look here, young man, I'll sue you for breach of promise if you do as sure as my name's Miss Dubbs. After all the trouble I've had to get the man I wanted, I don't lose him like that."

"I'm just a pauper, and I don't think I'll ever be anything more. It will be work for mine all the days of my natural."

"Which is precisely what I looked forward to when I first permitted you to pay me attention at the Mason's Arms. I didn't mistake you for a bank manager in disguise, although you may have thought so."

The sailor clapped an enthusiastic arm round the lady's waist. "Miss Dubbs, my dearest, how splendid you are!"

"So that's all right," was her murmured retort. "You're mine, Captain, till death us do part, and don't you forget it. But it will be an upset for Sir George's plans."

"If you don't mind, we'll not tell Sir George. He doesn't know Cap-

tain Farnish, you see, and I should hate to have him think I was—well, you know what I mean. Time enough to transfer to the old man when we get home and the ore's realized on and the Norman Towers is sold.—It's—By James, how dare you poke your unpleasant head in at my porthole, McDodd?"

"Three o'clock in the morning and the skipper courting his girl. 'Oh, silver moon and Africa's stars, you've much to answer for.' G. R. Tennyson wrote that, and I say I thought it one of his finest poems. Man, but flirting like this is a terrible example to some of the ship's company. Me, for instance."

"We're engaged," snapped Kettle.

Mr. McDodd rubbed his chin, and shut one eye. "Are ye telling me that as news?"

"It's the latest."

"Oh, vara humorous," said McDodd. "Puir young things, they've just discovered what this sma' world of a ship-board kennel since the day we first left Las Palmas. Miss, I kiss my hand to ye, and after I've been below to drink your health out of the chief engineer's whisky bottle which is under his bunk, I'll go to my chest, and see if I canno' find a suitable wedding present. But what I came to tell is this: That blue-eyed saint has swung off to the shore. Do ye think that man's straight, or just an African? And when is he going to take delivery of those Winchester rifles he's already paid for?"

(The End.)

GRAY FADED HAIR, OR BEAUTIFUL, DARK ATTRACTIVE—CHOOSE, MADAM!

Says Sage Tea Mixed with Sulphur Restores Natural Color and Lustre

Gray, faded hair turned beautifully dark and lustrous almost overnight, is a reality, if you'll take the trouble to mix sage tea and sulphur, but what's the use, you get a large bottle of the ready-to-use tonic, called "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy" at drug stores here for about 50 cents. Millions of bottles of "Wyeth's" are sold annually, says a well-known druggist, because it darkens the hair so naturally and evenly that no one can tell it has been applied.

You just dampen a sponge or soft brush with Wyeth's Sage and Sul-

phur and draw it through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. Those whose hair is turning gray, becoming faded, dry, scraggly and thin have a surprise awaiting them, because after just one application the gray hair vanishes and your locks become luxuriantly dark and beautiful—all dandruff goes, scalp itching and falling hair stops.

This is the age of youth, gray-haired, unattractive folks aren't wanted around, so get busy with the Sage and Sulphur tonight and you'll be amazed at your youthful appearance and the real beauty and healthy condition of your hair within a few days. Inquiry at drug stores here shows that they sell all lot of "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur" and the folks using it are enthusiastic. O. T. Erhart, agent.

THE MARRIAGE OF CAPTAIN KETTLE

By G. S. Cuthill Hymns, Copyright The Robt-McClure Co.

"I knew I should hit upon the old girl at last if only I could induce the hands to keep on long enough," said Captain Saturday Farnish. "Did you happen to find my old pipe in the chart house by any chance, or had the niggers scooped it? Chips lodged me away in such a hurry I hadn't time to slip it into my pocket. I should hate to lose that pipe. It's the one mother gave me the year I earned all my bonus."

"I have it in my own chart-room, on top. There was mother's photo, too. I took that also."

Captain Kettle swallowed hard. Mention of that unclean meerschaum always upset him.

"You're a good lad, Owen, me man, and I'm glad it's you that's met with luck. You're young, and you've all the world before you, and now you needn't work. I'm old, and I'm out of date, and nobody wants me. Eh, well, I wonder when I shall eat onions and tinned salmon again? Never probably."

"Tomorrow, if you like," said Captain Kettle.

"That's very good of you, Owen, me man. I suppose you'll give me a passage home. You'll find I'll not intrude. I am real glad that it's you that's picked up the old Towers and made a fortune out of her, and—and—"

"And ruined you."

"Well, you didn't set out to do it, and don't think I bear you malice, though if it had been any one else I should have been fit to tear his throat out. It's not for myself I care. It's poor mother I'm thinking about. She's been the best possible wife to me. I—I did look forward to letting her have the balance of her days in comfort." The old man's unkempt gray beard dropped dejectedly on his chest.

The steward came up to Captain Kettle with a respectful whisper. "I've made ready for the captain the room the African ladies had, trusting that's your wish."

"Very good," Kettle put a hand on his guest's shoulder, and shook him gently. "I think you had better turn in."

"Qui' ri, my dear, qui' ri," mother. Had a mos' important business meeting t' attend. You may put down that Malacca in the hat-stand. Really no offense this time. Business negotiations entirely 'n your behalf, ol' lady, though unsuccessful. I'm sorry to say. Future entirely hopeless. Help me to bed, mother."

"Here, let me help," said Miss Dubbs, with suspiciously shining eyes. "No, don't you bother, steward. The captain and I can manage."

Answer: To take the surplus oil out of the hair and keep it soft and fluffy, get a 4 oz. jar of plain yellow minoyl and use it regularly. This will cure itching scalp and dandruff and make the hair grow, and you will not be bothered with stringy, straggling locks.

"Louise" writes: "I do not weigh enough for my height. I am dull and lifeless and have frequent headaches. Please advise what will help me."

Answer: Your condition is due to the lack of red blood corpuscles. I can prescribe nothing better than three grain hyponucane tablets, which can be purchased at any up-to-date drug store in sealed cartons with full directions. These tablets will cause the body to assimilate the fatty elements of food and thus give you strength and added color to the skin. Your weight will increase and you will not be troubled with headache. These are recommended by physicians and if taken according to directions you will surely gain flesh.

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Answer: Obtain a few well-stocked druggist a tube of 5-grain arbolene tablets and take as per directions accompanying. These tablets are very easy to take and quite reliable for obesity or goitre.

"Miss K." writes: "Could you publish a remedy for liver and kidney trouble and the usual diseases that arise from that source. I am troubled with dizzy spells, dark spots before my eyes and also with rheumatism."

Answer: If you will get three grain sulphur tablets (not sulphur tablets), and take according to directions, you will not only be relieved, but if you continue the use of these tablets you will be gradually cured of all the troubles you mention. They will purify the blood and also cure your rheumatism.

"Worried"—Your child can be easily cured of bedwetting by using tincture cubebis. 1 dram; tincture rhubaromatic, 2 drams, and comp. fluid balmwort, 1 oz. Give him 10 to 15 drops in water before each meal. This is equally good for older people.

"Virginia" writes: "I suffer greatly with catarrh, bad breath, headache and pain across my eyes. Only my nostrils and throat are affected. Could you prescribe a remedy to cure me?"

Answer: The following local treatment should be used: Obtain a two ounce original package of Vilane powder, put one-half teaspoonful in a pint of warm water and snuff the water from the palm of the hand through the nostrils several times daily until they are cleaned thoroughly. To one ounce of vaseline or lard mix one teaspoonful of Vilane powder and apply twice a day well up into the nostrils, and your catarrh will soon vanish. This should be used at intervals to prevent a recurrence. I have received hundreds of letters from grateful people who have used the above prescription and been cured from that dreadful disease, catarrh.

"Hannah" writes: "I would like to get something that would make my hair soft and fluffy. My hair is greasy and I can do nothing to keep the oil out of it."

tain Farnish, you see, and I should hate to have him think I was—well, you know what I mean. Time enough to transfer to the old man when we get home and the ore's realized on and the Norman Towers is sold.—It's—By James, how dare you poke your unpleasant head in at my porthole, McDodd?"

"Three o'clock in the morning and the skipper courting his girl. 'Oh, silver moon and Africa's stars, you've much to answer for.' G. R. Tennyson wrote that, and I say I thought it one of his finest poems. Man, but flirting like this is a terrible example to some of the ship's company. Me, for instance."

"We're engaged," snapped Kettle.

Mr. McDodd rubbed his chin, and shut one eye. "Are ye telling me that as news?"

"It's the latest."

"Oh, vara humorous," said McDodd. "Puir young things, they've just discovered what this sma' world of a ship-board kennel since the day we first left Las Palmas. Miss, I kiss my hand to ye, and after I've been below to drink your health out of the chief engineer's whisky bottle which is under his bunk, I'll go to my chest, and see if I canno' find a suitable wedding present. But what I came to tell is this: That blue-eyed saint has swung off to the shore. Do ye think that man's straight, or just an African? And when is he going to take delivery of those Winchester rifles he's already paid for?"

(The End.)

THE DOCTOR'S ADVICE

by Dr. Lewis Baker

The questions answered below are general in character, the symptoms or diseases are given and the answers will apply to any case of similar nature.

Those wishing further advice, free, may address Dr. Lewis Baker, College Bldg., College-Ellwood Sts., Dayton, O., enclosing self-addressed stamped envelope for reply. Full name and address must be given but only initials or fictitious name will be used in my answers. The prescriptions can be filled at any well-stocked drug store. Any druggist can order of wholesaler.

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NORTH SIDE BRIEFS

A good show at the Dreamland. Martin Hickey, 1346 Charles St., is seriously ill at his home. Mr. and Mrs. William Hurley, 1448 Wood street, are the parents of a baby boy. William Ostentout, who has been ill at his home 1427 Wood street, is

again able to be out. Reuben Thompson is able to be out again, having been confined to his home with illness. K. S. Knutson, who spent the past few days in Prairie du Chien, has returned to his home, 1013 Gillette St. A baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Erickson, 1406 Rose street. The Ladies' Aid society of the Norwegian Lutheran church was entertained by Mrs. Morris Peterson. The sewing circle of the St. James

church was entertained by Mrs. Callahan, 1449 Wood street, yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. G. Hewitt of Indiana, Pa., who have spent the last month and a half with relatives and friends on the north side, have left the city for Madison, Wis.

The infant child of Mrs. A. Franz is seriously ill at the home of its parents, 216 North Twenty-third St. Mrs. E. Preutz, who has been ill at her home, 1127 Logan street, is again able to be out.

Mrs. J. Asselin, 1536 Prospect street, is visiting relatives and friends and relatives in Dubuque. J. Conway is confined to his home, 1022 Berlin street, with illness.

Miss Alice Joy, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. Preutz, 1117 Logan street, has returned to her home, Seneca, Wis.

Mrs. L. Maynard, who has been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Robillard, 1541 Berlin street, has returned to her home, Dresbach.

Mrs. George Holler is confined to her home on St. Andrews street with pneumonia.

Miss Frieda Sagen is confined to her home, 907 Clinton street, with illness.

Mrs. A. Holmes is ill at her home, 914 Caledonia street.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Robillard, who have been confined to their home, 1541 Berlin street, are able to be out again.

Mrs. S. B. Spencer is confined to her home, 1622 Berlin street with illness.

Rev. R. Anderson of the West Avenue Methodist church, will go to Galesville Sunday, where he will preach a sermon in the Methodist

church. Herbert Carlton is in the city from Viroqua, where he has been putting in ice for the merchants of Viroqua, Westby and Cashton.

WOMEN'S FASHIONS UPHELD BY CLUB

The Franklin club held its weekly debate last night in its hall before an audience of about fifty people, the subject being "Resolved, that the following of fashions cause more misery than the liquor traffic."

The affirmative side of the question was upheld by A. J. Phillips, P. W. Mahoney and William McGaughan. On the negative side were Otto Schlabach, Professor H. G. Hayden and Dr. A. Seider. The jury members were T. T. Schultz, Joseph Dubraks and Roy Ahlstrom.

A. J. Phillips cited illustrations from his own observations which were given in a manner all his own. The negative side won the debate unanimously.

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HENRY TO BUILD HYDRO-AEROPLANE

North Side Inventor at Work on Flyer Which Will Be Launched This Summer

GETS HIS IDEA FROM AN ICE BOAT

Modeled Somewhat After Curtis Type of Machine; Plans Improvements

Robert Henry, employe of the National Gauge and Register company, did not know that his air propelled ice boat would evolve into an aeroplane, when some weeks ago he constructed it.

When Mr. Henry achieved the success with his ice boat, he began to look around him for larger and greater things upon which to vent his inventive genius. Some time ago, in looking over drawings of the Curtis type of hydroplanes, Henry hit upon the idea of transferring the engine which he had used on his ice boat to a hydroplane. If the success of his invention warrants it, he may procure a larger, but lighter engine.

Mr. Henry is putting all his spare time on the apparatus, and to all appearances he will have success, as in the past he has built several different unique motive contrivances, and he has always made successes of his inventions.

Henry works in a large boat house on Black river, at the foot of Hagar street, where his ice boat has been stowed. He is at present constructing 35 foot planes somewhat on the plan of the Curtis planes, but with some distinctly new features.

The body of the plane will be what is known as two step pontoons. The engine will be placed in the base of the hull. This aeroplane will be similar to others, only that it will rise from the water instead of the ground.

Henry hopes to have his machine built ready to try some time in the early summer.

MILLER DIES OF RAIL INJURIES

Milwaukee Switchman Hit by Engine Called by Death After Seven Days

George Miller, a switchman on the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul railroad, died this morning at 8 o'clock in the La Crosse hospital, after having laid in a semi-conscious condition for seven days. Miller was hit by a passenger engine in the Milwaukee yards on the 13th of January, while throwing a switch. He was later picked up by the crew of the engine, and taken to the La Crosse hospital. Funeral arrangements will be announced later.

VOVES' PAINTERS WIN THREE GAMES

The Voves Painters won three games from the Nelson Clothing company team on the Combination alleys last night. The Nelsons were handicapped by having only three of their regular men in the lineup. Following are the scores for the evening:

Nelson Clothing Company		
Dockendorf	169	156
Eaton	135	153
Hanson	180	103
Roth	148	121
Substitute	142	140
Totals	774	677

Voves Painters		
Paulson	162	161
Lee	160	156
Hauser	142	140
Poehling	159	143
Voves	163	151
Totals	792	761

Ferdie Roth and Otto Lee won four out of six games from John Hays and Bert Nelson last night independent of the tournament. The alley record of the season was broken.

UNION EVANGELISTIC SERVICES SUNDAY

A series of union evangelistic services will be held in the Tabernacle Baptist church, Avon and Clinton streets, beginning next Sunday evening at 7:30.

Rev. C. R. Bearmore, boys' secretary of the Y. M. C. A., will preach the sermon. At this service Mr. Bearmore will render a solo. A chorus choir will be under the direction of Rev. J. W. Witter, pastor of the German Methodist church.

As several of the north side churches are invited to participate in these meetings there will be a large attendance next Sunday evening.

Previous to this service the Young People's services will be held, beginning at 6:45. Mr. Bearmore will address them. These services will be held for two weeks, closing with Sunday evening, February 23. Each meeting will begin promptly at 7:30 with a song service.

SMALL DAMAGE BY FIRE
Fire department No. 4 was called out last night at the home of W. T. Dotterwick, to extinguish a small fire which started in the chimney of the house. The fire was quickly put out and very little damage was done.

The National Bank of La Crosse

FEBRUARY 4, 1913

RESOURCES

Loans and discounts	\$2,782,945.47
Overdrafts	4,523.75
U. S. bonds to secure circulation	250,000.00
Municipal bonds to secure postal savings deposits	19,000.00
Other bonds	949,000.00
Banking house	50,000.00
Other real estate	100.00

Cash Resources

U. S. bonds to secure U. S. deposits	\$ 20,000.00
With banks	812,798.58
With treasurer U. S.	12,500.00
In vaults	260,508.08
Total	\$5,171,375.88

LIABILITIES

Capital	\$ 250,000.00
Surplus	400,000.00
Undivided profits	53,237.87
Reserved for interest	2,500.00
Circulation	246,300.00
Bonds borrowed	19,000.00
Deposits	4,200,338.91
Total	\$5,171,375.88

KENTUCKY HAS A REAL WOMAN JUDGE; WITH GREAT DIGNITY HEARS FIRST CASE



U. S. Commissioner Mabel Van Dyke Bell.

Women have crowded into every profession and now at last we have a woman judge. Mrs. Van Dyke Bell, of Covington, Ky., isn't exactly a judge. Her position as United States commissioner requires her, however, to fill the position of judge in preliminary hearings. She heard her first case a few days ago at Covington, and presided with solemn dignity. Mrs. Van Dyke is married, is of the home loving kind, and has two children attending school.

WIGGLE-DANCES ON PROGRAM FOR FROM

MADISON, Wis., Feb. 7. — The dance program for Friday night, prom night, contains the names of some of the ails which have been barred by dancing and music masters in all parts of the United States. Among these are "Parisienne," "Hitchy Koo," "Ghost of the Violin," "Tantalizing Tommy," "Roll a Pin for Me," and "Row, Row, Row." The prom waltz itself has never been played in public and will not be put on sale until Friday morning. It was written by Eugene Caserly of Milwaukee.

Beginning with the production of the junior class play, "Nan," prom week starts in university circles in this city Thursday night and the social festivities will be on with a rush.

GIRL KIDNAPED BY BLACKHAND?

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Feb. 7.—In broad daylight while scores of shoppers were hurrying by, 12 year old Lucia De Rosa, youngest daughter of David De Rosa, a wealthy Italian commission merchant of North Chicago, mysteriously disappeared from the entrance to United States postal station G, adjoining the Plankinton hotel, at 10 o'clock Thursday morning.

Leaving the station where she had been mailing letters, her sister Mary, 19 years old, saw a dark blue limousine with curtains tightly drawn drive away from the curb.

It is believed Lucia has been kidnapped by a gang of blackhanders who are said to have threatened the life of her father. The curtained limousine is the only clue to the disappearance.

TOWN'S SCHOOLS BURN

Would Appoint "Hand Shaker"
ALBANY, N. Y.—Assemblyman Bovie introduced a bill in the legislature providing for a commissioner of social welfare. His duty will be to shake hands for the governor and other officials.

FOSTON, Minn., Feb. 7.—Foston was without schools on Thursday as the result of a fire which destroyed the high school and grade school buildings. Schools will be reopened on Feb. 17 in the city churches.

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Save your hair! Danderine destroys dandruff and stops falling hair at once—Grows hair, we prove it.

If you care for heavy hair, that glistens with beauty and is radiant with life; has an incomparable softness and is fluffy and lustrous you must use Danderine, because nothing else accomplishes so much for the hair.

Just one application of Knowlton's Danderine will double the beauty of your hair, besides it immediately dissolves every particle of dandruff; you cannot have nice, heavy, healthy hair if you have dandruff. This destructive stuff robs the hair of its lustre, its strength and its very life, and if not overcome it produces a feverishness and itching of the scalp; the

hair roots famish, loosen and die; then the hair falls out fast.

If your hair has been neglected and is thin, faded, dry, scraggy or too oily, don't hesitate, but get a 25 cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderine at any drug store or toilet counter; apply a little as directed and ten minutes after you will say this was the best investment you ever made.

We sincerely believe, regardless of everything else advertised that if you desire soft, lustrous, beautiful hair and lots of it—no dandruff—no itching scalp and no more falling hair—you must use Knowlton's Danderine. If eventually—why not now? A 25 cent bottle will truly amaze you.

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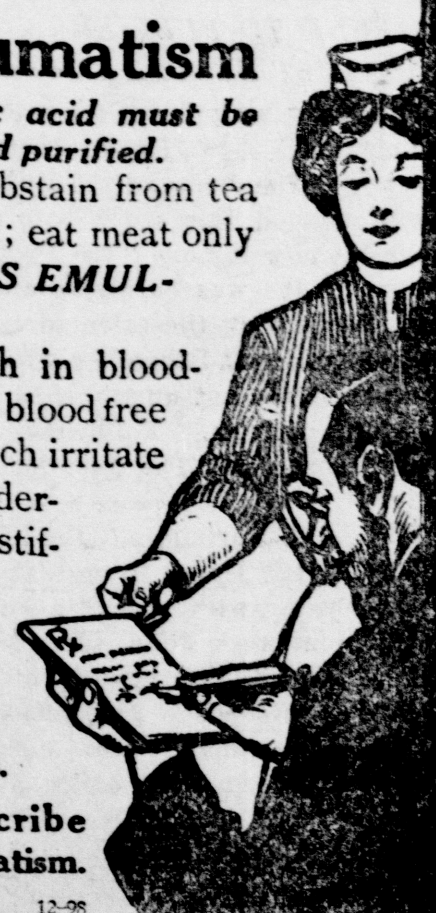
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COMPLETE SYSTEM OF DISSOLUTION

Directors of Both U. P. and S. P. Ratify Plan Decided Upon by Executive Committees

ATTORNEY-GENERAL APPROVES

Wickersham Favors Plan and Little Question Court Will Add Its O. K.

NEW YORK, Feb. 7.—The board of directors of the Union and Southern Pacific railroads yesterday ratified the dissolution plan decided upon by the executive committees. The plan was presented at separate meetings and was received with unanimous approval.

Under the adopted plan, it is understood that the Southern Pacific stock held by the Union Pacific will be offered of both companies of record March 20 or 21 and payment for the stock will be made in four installments, with a provision for advance payments.

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Johns, Ala.—In a letter from this town, Mrs. M. Melhorn says: "I was in very bad health last year, and did not recover as quickly as I should."

I ached all over, and would often have a headache for a whole week at the time. I would almost go crazy. I was so weak, and felt so tired, I could hardly walk across the room. My doctor said I would never get well without an operation, but I decided to try Cardui, the woman's tonic.

I have only taken four bottles, and I feel like a new woman, already. I recommend Cardui for young and old, and would not give it for any other kind of medicine."

Headache is one of the most common symptoms of womanly trouble. Backache, sideache, nervousness, sleeplessness, weak, tired feeling, are others.

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N. B.—Write to: Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn., for Special Instructions, and 64-page book, "Home Treatment for Women," sent in plain wrapper, on request.—Advertisement.

PERSONALS

Parker-Hirt Machine Co. is the most modern Auto Home.

J. Whitman, Dubuque, Iowa, was in the city this morning on a business trip, and will return to his home tonight.

Dance at Linker hall Saturday, Feb. 8. Music by Andre's orchestra.

A. S. Morrison, Brooklyn, Iowa, who has been in the city for the past few days, has returned to his home.

H. J. Johnson, De Soto, is in the city visiting relatives.

E. F. U. business meeting tonight. T. M. Abbotts returned this morning to California after a week's visit here with relatives.

Ole Jacobson returned to Dorchester, Iowa, after a visit here.

Phone Gateway City Transfer Co. for your next hack call. Phone 179.

A. J. Larson, Genoa, Wis., has been in the city on a business trip.

W. McMillan, Houston, was here today attending to business.

Hack calls day and night. Gateway City Transfer Co. Phone 179.

Michael Wiskerche, Maiden Rock, returned to his home this morning after a short visit here with relatives.

If you want a carriage get the Gateway City Trfr. Co. Phone 179.

George Olsen, who has been the guest of friends here, returned this morning to his home, Ray, N. D.

H. Ellis, Harmony, was in town today on business.

Hack calls day and night. Gateway City Transfer Co. Phone 179.

H. Martin and wife were in the city this morning from Modest.

M. B. Rawley, Prairie du Chien, Wis., returned to his home this morning after a short visit here.

Hack and baggage calls made. Gateway City Trfr. Co. Phone 179.

James Wood, Winona, has been the guest of friends and relatives here for the past few days, and will shortly return to his home.

Hacks calls promptly attended to. Phones 179. Gateway City Trfr. Co.

B. D. Jones, Jamestown, Iowa, has been the guest of friends in this city for the past week, and will shortly return to his home.

District Attorney D. S. Law is confined to his home with an attack of the grippe.

L. B. Omerberg, supreme commander of the La Crosse Equitable Fraternal Union, will go to Neenah Monday where he will take part in the auditing of the books of the state supreme council. Mr. Omerberg and Judge John C. Karel of Milwaukee, are members of the supreme auditing committee. They will attend a banquet given in honor of the state officers in the evening.

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MEMBERSHIP NEAR THOUSAND MARK

Although Some of 530 Subscriptions Secured Are Renewals Membership Is Close to 1,000

IMPERIAL CAR AND DRIVER LEAD

Team of Imperial Leads with 179, While Chauffeur Alma Ruden Secures Most as Individual

The rooms of the Young Women's Christian association presented a scene of great excitement last night when the final returns of the automobile race membership campaign were counted up and it was seen that the total number of subscriptions secured exceeded the number it was hoped to get during the campaign by fifty per cent. The memberships secured by the teams totaled 530, and although some of these are renewals it still means a considerable increase in the membership of the institution, bringing it close up to the thousand mark.

The Imperial finished first in the race with 179, maintaining all through the contest the lead secured the first day. The Hudson passed the Buick yesterday, coming in second with 146, while the Buick was not far behind with 141. The Kissel Kar secured but 64. Yesterday's increase over the day before was over 200. The leaders of the cars were as follows: Imperial, Alma Ruden; Hudson, Grace Wallace; Buick, Bertha Hoeschler; Kissel Kar, Elizabeth Haebech.

Alma Ruden, leader of the Imperial team, secured the greatest number of new members of any individual in the race, she having brought in 64. Bertha Hoeschler, at the head of the Buick team, was second with a total of 54, while Grace Wallace, leader of the Hudson team, and Lotie Bennett, a member of the Buick team, were third and fourth with 48 and 47 respectively.

When asked about the outcome of the campaign this morning, Miss Amanda Clement, physical director of the Y. W., said that in her estimation the result could not have been better and that much praise was due the members of the teams for the way in which they entered into the race.

Plans for the banquet which is to be given in honor of the incoming members and the winning team in the contest are being arranged today. All members of the association are invited to attend and it is requested that all wishing to be present will notify the secretaries by tomorrow evening, in order that the approximate number attending may be known and arrangements made accordingly. The banquet will probably be held at the Masonic temple, although definite arrangements have not yet been made.

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MANY APPLY AT RECRUITING STATION

The following named applicants for enlistment have been accepted for the United States army by Corporal John Smeets in charge of the local recruiting station, 226 Main street, La Crosse, Wis.: Alex Sobczak, 21, La Crosse, Wis., Jan. 18, for cavalry; Leo Brennan, 21, Dakota, Minn., Jan. 20, for infantry; George M. Wolfgram, 22, Viroqua, Wis., Jan. 20, for cavalry; Ferdinand Langrehr, 21, Leon, Wis., Jan. 22, for cavalry; Clifford Jerome, 18, Leon, Wis., Jan. 22, for cavalry, with consent of his parents; Gabriel K. Gleason, 26, Arcadia, Wis., Jan. 24, for coast artillery. Total number of applicants accepted since Dec. 26, 1912, is eleven.

CARD OF THANKS.

We, the undersigned, wish to extend our sincere and heartfelt thanks to all friends and neighbors for their kindness and sympathy during the illness and death of our beloved mother, Mrs. Barbara Ziegler. Especially do we wish to thank Rev. Julius Gamm, Mrs. Horn, the pallbearers and for the beautiful floral offerings.

MR. AND MRS. PAUL TECHMER. MR. AND MRS. J. A. KELLMAR. MR. AND MRS. HENRY MUTH. MR. AND MRS. CLARENCE COX.

IOWA TO PROBE FAIR

DES MOINES, Iowa, Feb. 7.—Both houses of the legislature today passed a resolution directing the committees on retrenchment and reform to direct their expert accountants to investigate the accounts of the state agricultural society which manages the Iowa state fair. Representative Lundin said that money was wasted, fair mismanaged and that the agricultural society was a political, self-perpetuating machine.

TAFT GRANTS HEARING

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7.—President Taft set an unique precedent today when he granted a hearing to proponents and opponents of the Dillingham-Burnett immigration bill. In view of the earnest pleas of foreign born citizens, President Taft decided personally to listen to their arguments.

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SOCIETY

SEWING CONTEST

Mrs. R. C. Early, 407 South Ninth street, entertained at a sewing contest yesterday afternoon. Those present were Mesdames Peter Gormley, C. N. Moore, Rudolph, E. L. O'Neill, George Davis, Otto Wodzinski. Mrs. Gormley won in the contest.

CARD PARTY

The Misses Emma and Louise Gund entertained a dozen friends Saturday afternoon in honor of Mrs. Earl Tiffany.

Wednesday evening Mrs. A. Platz entertained at a dinner in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Tiffany.

SOCIAL BRIEFS

Mrs. E. G. Perkins has returned from a few weeks' visit with friends in Virginia. From there she went to New York, where she visited at the home of Mr. George Perkins.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Tiffany have gone to Madison to attend the Junior prom.

Mrs. S. Lowenstein and the Misses Sophie and Irma Berger, who came from New York Thursday with the body of their mother, Mrs. Rebecca Berger, are guests during their stay in the city of Mr. and Mrs. A. Hirschheimer.

IMPERSONATES MILLIONAIRE

BUFFALO, N. Y., Feb. 7.—For impersonating Cyrus W. McCormick, Jr., the Chicago multi-millionaire, whose name is alleged to have been signed to two checks with which he purchased two handsome touring cars, John D. Fontaine, 37, a chauffeur from Chicago, was arraigned today charged with attempted grand larceny.

There are men who would rather take the opposite side of the argument than the right side.



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SCULPTURE NOT FORGOTTEN ART

Large Audience Deeply Interested in the Lecture of Lorado Taft at th Normal

PRaises the Work of CRUNNELLE

Man Who Modeled Hixon Memorial Placed in First Rank by Noted Artist

Asserting that sculpture is not a forgotten art but one of the most pulsating and living of all arts, Lorado Taft, famous sculptor, addressed a large and deeply interested audience at the normal auditorium last night. The speaker was introduced in a few words by Prof. D. O. Coate of the English department.

The lecture was illustrated by a wonderful collection of lantern slides which depicted the different stages of sculpture in America. Mr. Taft said that modeling from clay and marble did not have much moral support from our Pilgrim fathers who were too busy to pay much attention to it. Consequently sculpture was late in arriving in America but the marvelous advances made during the past two decades has placed this country in the front rank of sculptural art. One of the forces which has done much toward the development of art in this country is the mingling of the races, the cosmopolitan population which the United States possesses, he said.

Wood Carving Beginning

From wood carving of ship's prows the rise of sculpture has developed into masterpieces of marble which attract admiration the world over. Greeno was the first American sculptor, his work being dedicated largely to decorating naval vessels. Hiram Powers, Thomas Ward, H. C. Brown, W. W. Story, T. Gould, Randolph Rogers and Ward were mentioned by Taft as having done much for the development of art in this country. Howard Rollis was the first American who studied in Paris and his works were discussed briefly.

The name of George Barnard, the speaker declared, suffered nothing by the scandal connected with the Pennsylvania capitol building and his works for the decoration of that structure are some of the finest specimens of American art. However, the high water mark of sculpture was not reached until Augustus St. Gaudens, the greatest of American sculptors, exhibited some of his works. His "Admiral Farragut" and "Abraham Lincoln" Lorado Taft declared, are the finest types of character modeling in the United States today and that St. Gaudens' "Adams Memorial" shows him to be also the most ethereal of American sculptors.

Crunnelle Highly Praised

Crunnelle, who made the Hixon memorial for this city, was given flattering comment by Taft who only regretted he had so few slides of Crunnelle's work. The closing views consisted of some of Lorado Taft's own achievements and although the modesty of the sculptor prevented

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much being said of them it was the consensus of opinion that Taft's art was as far advanced as that of any others whose works he exhibited.

The lecture was a genuine treat, Lorado Taft being gifted as an entertainer as well as a sculptor, his choice humor adding bright flashes throughout his talk. The audience expected a treat and received it and the normal school is to be congratulated upon bringing Lorado Taft to this city.

ISSUE ICE WARNING

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7.—Icebergs and flocks are rapidly bearing down on the northern steamship lanes and unless cold weather sets in to cement the ice fields, officials of the navy hydrographic office fear that shipping will be endangered. Warnings of the reported ice were sent out by the navy department today.

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BOSSHARD LEADS EXCITING RACE

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leaving blank the date and place of signature by the governor, which said last-named order is the identical order of removal thereafter signed by the governor and served on the said Herman L. Ekern, commissioner of insurance; and that the said last-named order was prepared and transcribed before the conclusion of the hearing before the governor, hereinafter referred to, for the removal of said Herman L. Ekern, and before

the said Herman L. Ekern had testified in his own behalf.

"Seventh: That said affidavit and complaint, duly verified by Harry C. Wilbur, executive clerk, together with an order to show cause why the said Herman L. Ekern should not be removed from the office of commissioner of insurance, was duly served upon the said Herman L. Ekern at 8:50 a. m., January 8, 1913; that is to say, ten minutes before said order to show cause was made returnable.

"Eighth: That immediately upon the service of said order to show cause upon him, the said Herman L. Ekern engaged his counsel, John A. Aylward and M. B. Olbrich, by telephone, and was able to reach only a few witnesses whose testimony was necessary to his defense. That thereupon the said Herman L. Ekern, with counsel and witnesses, immediately appeared before the governor.

"Ninth: That one-half hour was allowed by the governor to the said Herman L. Ekern to consult with his attorneys and witnesses and to prepare an answer to said complaint. That said Herman L. Ekern and counsel moved for postponement of said hearing to some time later in said day, and repeatedly requested further opportunity and time for preparation; but said motion was overruled and said requests repeatedly refused, and the governor directed the hearing to proceed forthwith.

"Tenth: That thereupon witnesses for the complainant were sworn and testified, and after the conclusion of such testimony Herman L. Ekern was sworn on his own behalf. That before the examination in chief of the said Herman L. Ekern in his own behalf had been concluded, the governor declared the hearing at an end, and repeatedly declared and insisted that said hearing must and would conclude before twelve o'clock noon of said day.

"Eleventh: That at 11:50 a. m., and before the said Herman L. Ekern had concluded his testimony,

and such other witnesses of the said Herman L. Ekern, who were then and there present and ready to testify, were permitted to be sworn, the said governor summarily concluded said hearing and announced his findings sustaining said complaint and ordering the removal of the said Herman L. Ekern, commissioner of insurance, from office. That thereupon the said governor dated and signed the said order of removal, previously prepared as hereinbefore set forth.

"Twelfth: That the said Herman L. Ekern did not have a fair and impartial hearing. That said hearing was arbitrary and not conducted in good faith.

"Thirteenth: That the said Herman L. Ekern on January 1, 1913, at the request of one L. L. Johnson, then a candidate for speaker of the Wisconsin assembly, engaged by telephone two certain rooms for the said L. L. Johnson at the Avenue Hotel in the city of Madison, which said rooms were thereafter used by the said L. L. Johnson as a campaign headquarters in the furtherance of his said candidacy as speaker. That the said Herman L. Ekern at no time entered or visited said rooms and at no time exercised or had any supervision or control over them, and that said rooms were at all times wholly under the control and supervision of the said L. L. Johnson. That the said Herman L. Ekern, neither by letter, telephone or otherwise, solicited or requested the support of any member of the Wisconsin assembly in behalf of the candidacy of said L. L. Johnson or any other person in his candidacy for the speakership of the assembly. That the said Herman L. Ekern was not the manager of the candidacy or the campaign of the said L. L. Johnson, or of any person for the speakership, and was in no wise connected with the campaign of any person or committee, or in any wise in charge of the candidacy or campaign for the speakership of any person whatsoever. That the said L. L. Johnson in his candidacy for the speakership of the assembly had no campaign manager, secretary, or campaign committee, but conducted

his campaign in person and alone. "Fourteenth: That the said Herman L. Ekern, commissioner of insurance, at all times since his appointment and qualification to said office, has faithfully, honestly, and ably discharged the duties of said office. That at no time during his incumbency in said office has he neglected the duties thereof, nor has he at any time been guilty of any wilful or official misconduct or neglect of any duty pertaining thereto."

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to thank our kind friends and relatives for the assistance during our late bereavement in the death of our son and brother, Theo. Molzahn. Especially do we thank Rev. Gamm, the Bricklayers' and Plasterers' union, Masons, and for the floral offerings.

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EXTRAVAGANCE.

The extravagant person is one who is wasteful of health, of emotion, of opportunity, or of income. The miser who hoards as the magpie does for the mere satisfaction of accumulating and hiding away his spoil is as extravagant in reality as the spendthrift who takes no thought for the morrow in the indulgence of today.

An Eccentric Wager.

In the old betting books of the Jockey club and White's in London are to be found many curious records of wagers. There was once a young man who made money on spider racing. "He wagered that a spider which he would produce would cross a plate quicker than a spider to be produced by a friend. Each spider was to have its own plate. His opponent's spider, however, on being started would not stir, while his own ran with immense speed. The bet was consequently lost, and the loser soon found out the reason why. Our young friend had a hot plate." This is told by Ralph Nevill in "The Man of Pleasure."

A Dutch Ironclad.

It is of interest to note that, according to some authorities, the Dutch were the first in the modern period of history to build an ironclad and that during the siege of Antwerp by the Spaniards in 1585 the people of that city built an enormous flat bottomed vessel, armored it with heavy iron plates and thus constructed what they regarded as an impregnable battery. This they named Finis Belli. Unfortunately the vessel got aground before coming into action and fell into the hands of the enemy. It was held by Alexander of Parma to the end of the siege as a curiosity, but was never employed by either side in any action.

German English.

An enterprising business house in a German city sends circulars advertising its wares to guests at the various hotels which are patronized by Americans. One of these printed documents contains this paragraph: "English is spoken and fluent understood by ready lady and men sellers, and the stranger visitor to inspect our many ware we friendly invite. The honored clients out of America can here find in the lowest fix prices most desiring articles for taking home."

Collecting Antiquities.

Slopoy received a card on which was engraved, "Professor Brace. Antiquarian." He knew no such person, so his curiosity led him to receive him. "What is your business, professor?" he asked politely. "I am a collector of antiquities," answered the old man. "So I imagined. And how can I serve you?" "By paying a deposit on this little bill you have owed for more than three years."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

The office that seeks the man has probably been blindfolded by the politicians.

NEW TREASURY ORDERS ILLEGAL IS STATEMENT

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so many millions of dollars is bound to cause financial difficulties. "In any case it seems an uncalled for move at a time of year when there is no unusual demand throughout the country for money, as is the case during the crop moving period. Congress should investigate." The funds affected by the order were held in the sub-treasuries previous to February 1, when the order went into effect. As the government accepts only gold in payment for duties, the entire sum involved is gold.

Subject to Call

Spreckels pointed out that if the banks made use of the money, they would have to use it in such a way as to have it subject to call on notice from the government. For this reason, he said, the money would find its way through the usual channels into Wall street, to be loaned out at call. Therefore, Spreckels said, in the event of millions being suddenly recalled, the demand would go directly into the call money market in New York and force the immediate withdrawal of enormous sums.

"Should the order remain in effect until March 4, it was pointed out by Spreckels, President Wilson would face a situation where, to leave the order in effect, would involve the government's money more every day, and to rescind the order would cause great financial disturbances.

It is Spreckels' opinion that the order will be held illegal and that Wilson will be compelled to rescind it, if it is not rescinded sooner. Friends of Wilson have been informed regarding the situation and they recalled Wilson's public announcement that he would "erect a gibbet high as Haman's" for any man found guilty of bringing about a panic.

It is known that the situation has been presented to Wilson personally.

When the fact that the order did not contain any limitation on the amounts of government money to be deposited was called to his attention, Bailey said: "It is an administrative matter. We know what the government running expenses are. We have figured out as near as possible how many dollars of the incoming collections the depositories shall keep to meet these expenses. The banks do not keep the remainder—it is sent on here."

Treasury Officials Deny

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7.—Assistant Secretary of the Treasury Robert O. Bailey today denied that there was any illegality in "treasury order No. 5," as claimed by Rudolph Spreckels, San Francisco.

Bailey declared the treasury order was planned to increase the number of depositories to simplify check exchange. One hundred new depositories are created by the order, and the fixed balance required is raised from \$48,000,000 to \$50,000,000. He declared the change was made because it did away with a great deal of detail work required by the sub-treasury system. Heretofore 90 per cent of the disbursements have been made through sub-treasuries. Under the new plan eighty per cent of the disbursements, Bailey said, will be made through banks, eliminating much work at the sub-treasuries. It enables holders of government checks, he said, to cash them without having to pay exchange.

Decrease in Deposit

Bailey said Spreckels was mistaken in that New York banks did not receive an increase in the deposit of government funds. He declared that individual banks would have a marked decrease in these deposits. He said they would only have enough funds on hand to meet the daily government withdrawals.

He explained to the house committee on expenditures in the treasury department that the reason the government did not charge banks' interest on government deposits was that the banks performed many services in the way of keeping books, etc., for the department which would otherwise cost heavily.

"Moonshine," was the way Secretary of the Treasury McVeagh and Attorney General Wickersham disposed of the Spreckels statement today.

To Call McVeagh

The house committee announced that they would call upon Secretary McVeagh to explain the order. They

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declared they were not fully convinced by Assistant Secretary Bailey's explanation.

No. 7347.

Report of the Condition of the Bavarian National Bank, at La Crosse, in the State of Wisconsin, at the Close of Business, February 4, 1913.

RESOURCES.	
Loans and discounts, secured	\$2,129,989.76
Overdrafts, secured	1,831.73
U. S. bonds to secure circulation	350,000.00
Bonds, securities, etc.	568,067.50
Banking house, furniture and fixtures	50,999.00
Due from state and private banks and bankers, trust companies, and savings banks	82,238.16
Due from approved reserve agents	509,490.22
Checks and other cash items	23,322.44
Notes of other national banks	37,386.00
Fractional paper currency, nickels, and cents	296.46
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz:	
Specie	\$141,165
Legal-tender notes	65,000
Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)	17,500.00
Total	\$3,976,287.27

LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in	\$400,000.00
Surplus fund	150,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	31,111.43
National bank notes outstanding	350,000.00
Due to other National Banks	\$91,230.42
Due to state and private banks and bankers	\$718,894.21
Dividends unpaid	50.00
Individual deposits subject to check	\$1,269,864.61
Demand certificates of deposit	\$958,898.42
Certified checks	61.42
Postal savings deposits	\$5,756.12
Reserved for taxes	420.64
Total	\$3,976,287.27

State of Wisconsin, County of La Crosse, ss.—I, John A. Bayer, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. A. BAYER,
Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of February, 1913.
GEO. H. CLARK,
Notary Public.

HODGE KEEPS BUSINESS

George R. Hodge will continue to operate the livery stable at Twelfth and Vine streets. The transfer of property reported last night includes only the real estate. Mr. Hodge still retains the business.

STATE BANK of LA CROSSE

FEBRUARY 4, 1913

RESOURCES

Loans and discounts	\$858,588.72
Overdrafts	327.21
U. S. and other bonds and securities	279,142.36
Banking house	12,776.42
In reserve banks	\$249,479.98
Cash in vault	100,631.48
	350,111.46
Total	\$1,500,946.17

LIABILITIES

Capital	\$100,000.00
Surplus	50,000.00
Undivided profits	10,488.07
Deposits	1,340,458.10
Total	\$1,500,946.17

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WOULD BAN PUBLIC CUP THROUGH LAW
Green Bay Assemblyman Would Make Health Board Order State Act

MADISON, Wis., Feb. 7.—The rule of the state board of health directed against the use of the public drinking cup in public places is made law in a bill introduced in the legislature by Assemblyman Archie McComb of Green Bay. It places the ban on the common cup in such public places as railroad stations, educational institutions, department stores, hotels, lodging houses and public buildings. So long as the rule remained a board of health order, its effectiveness was not complete, and Mr. McComb's bill is designed to make it fully enforceable. Mr. McComb also offered a bill to increase the number of places where the roller towel is prohibited from use. The board of health is given power to include additional classes of buildings under the law where it is considered that the use of the common towel is inimical to the public health.

Amending the statute on attachments to make it certain that a mortgagee's interest on land is attachable is the intent of another bill by Mr. McComb. The present statute is not clear on this subject.

A fourth bill by Mr. McComb authorizes the state board of health to act jointly with the United States Geological survey in determining the sanitary and other conditions and natural water supplies of the state, and appropriating \$3,000 contingent upon the government's co-operation.

RATIFY AMENDMENT
SANTE FE, N. M., Feb. 7.—The lower house of New Mexico legislature Thursday unanimously ratified the income tax amendment to the United States constitution. The state senate has already adopted the amendment. This makes the thirtieth state to complete the ratification of the amendment.

The house by a vote of 34 to 6, also passed a resolution ratifying the federal amendment providing for direct election of United States senators.

DECIDE WOMAN IS ELIGIBLE
CHICAGO, Feb. 7.—Women's rights advocates have won their fight for feminine representation county government and Miss Frances E. Spooner will be allowed the right to take the civil service examination for the position of assistant to the probate judge. Miss Spooner, who was refused permission to take the examination by a board of attorneys for the civil service commission, made her argument before the attorneys yesterday afternoon and today they announced a reconsideration of their decision.

PROFESSOR HITS GRAIN EXCHANGE
MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Feb. 7.—Prof. C. M. Andrist of the University of Minnesota, candidate at the last primary election for the democratic nomination for governor, scored the local chamber of commerce in speech to the Equity Co-operative Exchange convention.

Prof. Andrist branded the elevator men who fix grain prices as blood suckers, declared that stock manipulations were responsible for the high cost of living, and that farmers received only 43 per cent of the value of their crops.

VALUES BEARD HIGH
MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Feb. 7.—Alleging that they pulled out half his beard Gus Charrier has sued five men each for \$10,400 damages, or \$52,000 in all. To win the full amount he must prove his beard was worth \$104,000 as half of it was left intact.

\$65,000,000 IS CAPITALIZATION
M'KEESPORT, Pa., Feb. 7.—Details of the biggest industrial deal since the organization of the U. S. Steel corporation will be made public in a few days when the plans of the LaBelle Iron company will be announced. They will include the taking over of the McKeesport Tin Plate company, the largest independent tin mill in the world. Crawford, president of the McKeesport Tin Plate company, is to be made president of the reorganized LaBelle company, which it is said will be reorganized with a capital of \$65,000,000.

"A Shadow of Envy."
"So you object to jury duty?"
"No," replied the conscientious man. "I'm willing to do my duty, but it is aggravating to see one prisoner after another set free while we are kept under restraint."—Washington Star.

Woman's Beauty Is Based on Health

To Have Health, Bowel Movement is Absolutely Necessary—How Best to Obtain It

If woman's beauty depended upon cosmetics every woman would be a picture of loveliness. But beauty lies deeper than that. It lies in health. In the majority of cases the basis of health, and the cause of sickness, can be traced to the action of the bowels.

The headaches, the lassitude, the sallow skin and the lusterless eyes are usually due to constipation. So many things that women do habitually conduce to this trouble. They do not eat carefully, they eat indigestible foods because the foods are served daintily and they do not exercise enough. But whatever the particular cause may be it is important that the condition should be corrected.

An ideal remedy for women, and one especially suited to their delicate requirements, is Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, which thousands of women endorse highly. Mrs. Jennie Sneider, 1041 West Monroe St., Chicago, testifies that she is "cured of grave stomach and bowel troubles by using Syrup Pepsin and without the aid of a doctor or any other medicine. All the family can use Syrup Pepsin, for thousands of mothers give it to babies and children. It is also admirably suited to the requirements of elderly people, in fact to all who by reason of age or infirmity cannot stand harsh salts, cathartics, pills or purgatives. These should always be avoided for at best their effect is only for that day, while a genuine remedy like Syrup Pepsin acts mildly but permanently.

It can be conveniently obtained at any drug store at fifty cents or one dollar a bottle. Results are always guaranteed or money will be refunded. You will find it gentle in action, pleasant in taste, and free from griping, and its tonic properties have a distinct value to women. It is the most widely used laxative- tonic in America today and thousands of families are now never of your family has ever used Syrup Pepsin and you would like to make a personal trial would like to buy it in the regular way of a druggist, send your address by a postal card to Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 417 Washington St., Monticello, Ill., and a free sample bottle will be mailed you.

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TO PROBE COAL FIRM
SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Feb. 7.—The officials of the Western Fuel company, a branch of the coal combination, have been summoned to appear before the federal grand jury for investigation.

United States District Attorney McNab, alleges tariff dodging and bribery of government officials and officials of steamship companies. The probe will begin today.

REBELS BOTHER AMERICANS
WASHINGTON, Feb. 7.—Depredations by Mexican rebels against American property in the state of Durango are increasing according to state department dispatches. Three more bridges were burned on the international railroad near Pasaje, and the operation of trains has been discontinued.

The Heads on the Rails.
Viscount Hardinge, brother of the Indian viceroy, in a lecture in London on the Delhi durbar referred to a much criticised statement which he maintained was absolutely true. Whenever the viceroy traveled in India policemen were stationed along the railroad at intervals of a hundred yards. The policemen, he said, often became sleepy and lay with their heads on the rails to listen for the approach of the train. On one occasion no fewer than fifty lost their heads. Lord Curzon asked him where he got the yarn. He replied, "I got it from my brother, and I do not think he would tell a 'cracker.'"—New York Times.

Antwerp.
Nearly all the exports from the United States to Belgium enter the country at Antwerp, but as this port is the great distributing market for northwestern Europe, as well as a depot for raw products, it is doubtful if correct figures relating to the district alone have ever been or ever could be compiled.

Very Simple.
The graphic accuracy of the hero's remark gives this story from the Belfast News high value:
Aunt—So you took your first dancing lesson today. Did you find it difficult?
Wee Nephew—No'm; it's easy 'nough. All you have to do is to keep turning round and wiping your feet.

Tumblers That Stick.
When two glass tumblers or dishes stick together so that there is danger of breaking in getting them apart put cold water in the inner one and hold the outer one in warm water and they will separate at once.

SCOTT-ROSE CO.
418-420 MAIN STREET

SATURDAY SPECIALS

Beacon Blankets
11-4 Grey, Tan and White Beacon Blankets, regular values \$1.95, \$2.25, \$2.50. Sale price only per pair \$1.59, \$1.79 and \$1.95
Beacon Colored Crib Blankets, also white, regular 50c value, only each **35c**

Outing Flannel
10c and 12 1/2c Outing Flannel in all colors, special only each **8 1/2c**

Stamped Goods
Stamped all Linen Guest Towels, 59c value, special each **39c**
Stamped all Linen Guest Towels, 35c value, only each **19c**

India Linen
10c quality of fine sheer India Linen, special only per yard **7 1/2c**
18c quality of fine sheer India Linen, special only per yard **13c**

Scarfs and Shams
Scarfs and Pillow Shams, hemstitched and lace insertion, 39c and 50c values, special only each **25c**

Corsets
Ferris Waists and odd numbers of Corsets that sold up to 75c, special at **49c**

Neckwear
A sample line of fine Neckwear, Jabots, Irish Lace Bows, Cascades, worth up to 50c, only each **15c**

Suit Department
Second Floor
SPECIALS for SATURDAY
Skirts
An odd lot of Ladies' Dress Skirts, worth up to \$8.50, only **\$3.75**
Furs
All odd Scarfs, including Jap Mink, Black Fox, Black Wolf, Sable Fox, Black Opossum, Racoon, and Mink dyed Muskrat, at just half price.
Special prices on Suits and Coats, also Children's Coats.

Basement CHINA Basement
Cups and Saucers, Dinner Plates, Coupe Soups, Pickle Dishes, all in white semi-porcelain, regular 10c values, special each **8c**
11 inch white semi-porcelain Platters, regular 12 1/2c value, only **10c**
Oval Covered Dishes in white semi-porcelain, 75c value, only **50c**
Platters and Bakers in white semi-porcelain, 18c value, only **12 1/2c**
4 1/2 inch Fruits in white semi-porcelain regular 5c value, only **3c**

Tumblers
10c quality of Heisey Tumblers, special sale only each **5c**

Glassware
Tumblers, Sherbets, Creamers, Salts and Peppers, Sugars, that sell at 10c, special ca.. **8c**

NEW ALBIN, IA.
Wm. Lager and daughter Florence were callers at Elton Wednesday.
Vincent Lager was a Dorchester caller one day last week.
Miss Mary Kelly of Dorchester is the guest of Miss Beth Lahey of this place.
Miss Marie Otterness, the Houston county superintendent of schools, visited several of the schools near town Monday and Tuesday.
The town orchestra played for a dance at Frank Wymiller's Saturday.
Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Steele spent a few days of last week at Dubuque with friends.
J. J. Bock came up from Dubuque last week to visit relatives.
Mrs. Elmer Randall spent one day last week at Brownsville, Minn., with relatives.
Beardmore's orchestra played for the last dance of the season.
Miss Lyla May spent last Friday at La Crosse with friends.
Mrs. Rosie Robinson came up from Dubuque Tuesday to visit her sisters and brothers.
Martin Seely was up from Dubuque between trains last week.
Miss Fanny Brady of Chicago left for home last week after spending a month with Mrs. Martin, Mrs. E. Barney and Mrs. J. Ryan.
Miss Olga Laabs spent a few days with relatives at Lansing.
Mr. and Mrs. George Reburn rejoiced over the arrival Friday of a baby boy.
Ed Martin, Aberdeen, S. D., has been the guest of his father, H. Martin, the past week.
Ed Collins spent one day of last week at Waukon.
Mrs. Tillison was a La Crosse caller a few days last week.
Miss Anna Kelly is entertaining a lady friend from St. Paul.
Mrs. Wm. Thompson was a Lansing caller last week.
Miss Cora Bellows came home from Minneapolis for a visit with home folks.
Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Hannafan entertained the card club last week.
Mrs. John Handly of Dubuque is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dr. E. J. Gable.
Neil Currie of La Crosse was in the city Tuesday.
Mrs. E. C. Rippe of Caledonia spent a few days of last week with her sister, Mrs. Fm. Lager.
Miss Pauline Lenz of La Crosse is the guest of her brother Len Lenz.

Recovered From Severe Lung Trouble
While we all know that plenty of fresh air and good food are necessary to persons suffering from lung trouble, something more is needed to bring about full health. Eckman's Alternative is a medicine for throat and lung troubles, and so many reports have been received showing that it brought about good results in a number of cases which were declared hopeless, that all sufferers who are not benefitting otherwise should at least investigate what it has done for others. It may be the means of restoring you to health. Investigate this case:—
Madison Lake, Minn.
"Gentlemen:—In December, 1908, and March, 1909, I was taken with hemorrhages of the lungs which confined me several weeks, each time to my bed. These left me very weak and I coughed at nights and could not sleep. My appetite also failed me. My doctor advised me to go West. So, in September, 1909, I planned to go, but I had four more hemorrhages, which put me in bed for three weeks.
"In November I started for Denver, Colo. After my arrival I met Michael Brody, who, upon learning of my condition, urged me to take Eckman's Alternative. In about two months I began to feel better. I kept on taking the medicine and improved fast. In March, 1910, I returned home. I think I am entirely well, have a good appetite and sleep well. When I left Denver my weight was 130 pounds. I now weigh 165, my normal weight. I thank God and your Alternative for my health. If I can help any other person suffering from Tuberculosis, I will gladly do so."
(Sworn Affidavit)
PAUL L. FASNAUGHT.
Eckman's Alternative is effective in Bronchitis, Asthma, Hay Fever, Throat and Lung Troubles, and in rebuilding the system. Does not contain poisons, opiates or habit-forming drugs. For sale by Geo. E. Marlner, Chas. E. Benschlag and other leading druggists. Ask for booklet telling of recoveries, and write to Eckman Laboratory, Philadelphia, Pa., for additional evidence.

-Sore Throat
is often caused by poisonous catarrh germs dropping down from the nose. Kondon's, the original and genuine Catarrhal Jelly quickly soothes the inflamed tissues and heals the raw places. Don't delay! Now is the time to get Kondon's. Sold by all druggists everywhere. See and see seal-tary tubes. Sample FREE from us now.
Kondon Mfg. Company, Minneapolis, Minn.

KONDON'S CATARRHAL JELLY

TO TELL DISSOLUTION PLAN
NEW YORK, Feb. 7.—Following special meetings of the executive committees and boards of directors of the Southern and Union Pacific railroads it was expected that a statement of the plan of dissolution to be adopted by the roads in connection with the supreme court's order would be issued late yesterday afternoon.

YOUR FRECKLES
Need Attention in February and March or Face Will Stay Covered
Now is the time to take special care of the complexion if you wish it to look well the rest of the year. The February and March winds bring out freckles that will stay all Summer unless removed now with othine—double strength.
This prescription for the cure of freckles is the discovery of an eminent skin specialist, and is so uniformly successful that it is sold by O. T. Erhart under guarantee to refund the money if it fails. Get an ounce of othine—double strength, and even the first night's application will show a wonderful improvement, some of the smaller freckles even vanishing entirely.

FURS At Reduced PRICES
In order to close out our large stock of Reliable Furs we'll sell them from
One-Fourth to One-Third OFF
This is a genuine reduction from prices which always were low. Now is the time to get Good Furs AT COST. Come while the selection is good.
La Crosse Fur Co.
113 N. Third Street
Furs Repaired



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Second Week of Big Anniversary Sale

Every Yard of DRESS GOODS Marked Down for this SALE. Look for the RED TICKET.

Hair Goods

20 inch Switches, regular \$2.00 values, at **95c**
24 in. Switches, regular \$3.50 values, at **\$1.49**
All other Hair Goods at reduced prices.

Gloves

One big lot of Ladies' Kid Gloves, all colors and sizes, regular \$1 and \$1.25 values, pair... **79c**
Ladies' Mocha finish Gloves in black and colors, regular 35c values, at the pair **25c**

Handkerchiefs

One big lot of Ladies' and Gents' Handkerchiefs, plain and initial, values to 10c, at.... **5c**

Corsets

G-D Justrite Corsets, values up to \$2.50, at **98c**

Basement Bargains

Best Table Oilcloth, for this sale at the yard **15c**
Limit 4 yards to a customer.

One lot of Ladies' and Children's Underwear and Ruben Vests, broken sizes, **ONE-HALF PRICE.**

10 yards Crash Toweling for **59c**

Chambray and Dress Ginghams, 10c values, at yard.. **6 1/2c**

Large assortment of Dress Ginghams, regular 15c values, at the yard **10c**

Comforter Sateens, regular 18c and 20c quality, for this sale at the yard **10c**

15c quality Long Cloth, by the bolt, for this sale **98c**

One big lot of broken sizes in Ladies' Hose, values up to 50c, to close at the pair ... **19c**

Every Blanket in our entire stock marked down for this sale. See the special bargains in Cotton and Wool Blankets.

\$5.00 and \$6.50 Wool Blankets at **\$3.98**

Final Clearance Of All Winter Coats

Value Up to \$30.00

\$10

Saturday we shall offer all that is left of our winter stock of Women's, Misses' and Juniors' Coats formerly selling up to \$30.00, in one lot at **\$10.00.**

6 Coats, were \$19.50, Saturday at ..

5 Coats, were \$22.50, Saturday at ..

21 Coats, were \$25.00, Saturday at ..

3 Coats, were \$27.50, Saturday at ..

23 Coats, were \$30.00, Saturday at ..

\$10

\$5 SALE of Coats, Suits and Dresses

Saturday your choice of 24 Serge Suits, 11 Wool Dresses, 9 Silk Dresses, 43 Women's and Misses' Coats, and 19 Juniors' Coats at

\$5.00

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WOMEN'S, MISSES' AND CHILDREN'S OUTFITTERS. J. BARTEL COMPANY STORE.

PICKWICK, MINN.

The condition of Mrs. Wallace Wilson who was removed to LaCrosse Hospital Saturday night is still very critical and small hope is entertained for her recovery. Mr. Wilson was notified Tuesday that she was failing and left here on the morning train.

Mrs. Jennie Nagle who has been very ill for some time with pneumonia is improving slowly.

The Ladies' Aid met Wednesday at the home of Mrs. J. M. Rutherford. Two new members were received and a very pleasant afternoon spent by all present.

George Schaffer who is living at the stone quarry is in the LaCrosse Hospital having recently undergone an operation for appendicitis.

George Thompson was a Winona caller Tuesday.

All Languages.

"What is the mother tongue?"

"The mother tongue is the native language of any given race or country."

"Is there a father tongue?"

"Yes. The swear words are so classified."

"Well, there is a child tongue?"

"Yep. That's slang." — Cleveland Plain Dealer

Drive Headache Away With Musterole

A headache remedy without the dangers of "headache medicine." You run no risk when you use MUSTEROLE to relieve that headache and miserable feeling from cold or congestion. And it acts at once! MUSTEROLE is a clean, white ointment made with oil of mustard. You rub it on the forehead and temples. Better than a mustard plaster and does not blister. Used only externally, and in no way can affect stomach and heart, as some internal medicines do.

Best for Sore Throat, Bronchitis, Croup, Stiff Neck, Asthma, Neuralgia, Congestion, Pleurisy, Rheumatism, Lumbago, all Pains and Aches of the Back or Joints, Sprains, Sore Muscles, Bruises, Chills, Frosted Feet, Colds of the Chest (it prevents Pneumonia).

At your druggist's in 25c and 50c jars, and a special large hospital size for \$2.50.

Accept no substitutes. If your druggist cannot supply you, send 25c or 50c to the Musterole Company, Cleveland, Ohio and we will mail you a jar, postage prepaid.

Mrs. F. R. Snyder, Brooklyn, New York: "Have been helped many times by Musterole when I have had severe headaches."

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WILL NOT BLISTER

LOWELL'S

COMMENT

APROPOS

Readers Have "Rediscovered the Dictionary" and Use the Right Word

Learned men, both of the past and present, are in line with the plan of progressive education now being carried on by The Tribune.

Preachers, priests and pedagogues rub elbows with publicans and politicians to get the New Modern English Illustrated Dictionary.

Every man who wants to be up to date and well informed, or feels the advantage of having a ready helper at hand, wants a dictionary; and when he gets it is likely to say, with James Russell Lowell, that he has "Rediscovered the delight and wonder that lay enchanted in the dictionary."

That is the modern miracle that is being performed by The Tribune.

Most of those who prate of educating the public are not practical. La Crosse has rediscovered the dictionary and is delving deep into the delights of its wealth of words and short cuts to accurate expressions of ideas.

A Benedictine father traveled half a hundred miles to get the book recently, and he had hardly ceased his praises when a man who said he was a poet spoke his opinion.

The priest spoke of what good such a book could do—the poet of the beauty that the use of such a means of learning can add to life.

He told of John Keats, the young man of whom it has been written: "He showed later poets how to use 'the right word,' which should express poignantly their inmost thought. No longer content with epithets which had been handed down by a long line of polite predecessors, he searched the dictionary and revealed the wonders of enchantment which lie imprisoned there."

Can you use "the right word?" Open one of the new dictionaries and you will find a full equipment of words ready for use.

Start clipping coupons today. Explained under the Dictionary Coupon on another page of this issue.

She Wasn't Acting.

Jack—Why, you're acting as if you'd like to be kissed. Jessica—Why, that's not acting. Jack—But you act as if you had been kissed before. Jessica—Neither is that acting.—Yonkers Statesman.

A Great Advantage.

Prospective Tenants—There's one great disadvantage about this house—it is damp. Landlord—That's no disadvantage. If a fire were to break out it wouldn't burn nearly so fast.—Fliegende Blatter.

WOULD CUT DOWN WORK OF SESSION

Finance Committee of Legislature Asks that Appropriation Bills Go Through Them

MADISON, Wis., Feb. 7.—To expedite the business of the state legislature and to save printing and clerical bills, the joint committee on finance has evolved a plan whereby all departments of the state government intending to submit appropriation bills must submit them directly to the joint committee on finance rather than to individual members of the legislature for introduction. This system and the model budget are expected not only to shorten the session materially but to make unnecessary large items of expense heretofore entailed.

At a recent meeting of the joint committee on finance, unanimous approval was given to a resolution that this committee request all state departments to make known their needs to the committee. This request was made to the 58 state departments, boards and commissions in a letter, signed by Senator George E. Scott and Assemblyman Ray J. Nye, chairmen of their respective house committees on finance.

REFUSE BOND ISSUE

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Feb. 7.—The California railroad commission has denied the application of the United Railroads of San Francisco for authority to issue \$2,000,000 bonds. The commissioners allege that the railroad has been guilty of "frenzied finance," that it has created a fictitious surplus account, and has paid dividends out of the fictitious surplus to the detriment of the company's bonds. The commission questioned the legality of a payment of \$300,000 to Patrick Calhoun, former president for four years "back salary," asserting that "no explanation of this item has been made to the board."

BRINGS SERUM TO U. S.

NEW YORK, Feb. 7.—The first of Dr. F. F. Friedman's widely discussed serum for the cure of tuberculosis to reach this country was brought in by Dr. Austin B. Heid of Pittsburgh, on the steamer Potsdam. Heid brought with him only enough of the noted German scientist's serum to treat one patient of his in Pittsburgh.

Heid was met at quarantine by Dr. Milton H. Foster of the Ellis Island health service and questioned in behalf of the United States government about the Friedman cure. Heid told Dr. Foster that he had been convinced of the efficacy of the cure and had obtained from Dr. Friedman just enough serum to treat a patient suffering from tuberculosis of the bone.

FORCED INTO BANKRUPTCY

CHICAGO, Feb. 7.—That the retail lumber dealer's association caused the bankruptcy of his firm by compelling wholesale dealers to shut off his supply, was the testimony given today in the government's investigation into the alleged lumber trust by Ernest T. Hoerr, one of the heads of the firm of Challer, Hoerr & Co., Chicago, which went into bankruptcy in January, 1910.

Indorsing the Asp.

In Marmontel's tragedy of Cleopatra, represented in the Theatre Francaise, when the Egyptian queen was about ready to commit suicide she held in her hands a mechanical asp of cunning workmanship devised by Vaucanson, the most ingenious mechanician of his time. This venomous reptile reared its head and before plunging its apparent fangs into the arm of the actress gave a shrill hiss. A spectator hereupon arose and left the house with the simple but expressive remark, "I am of the same opinion as the asp."

Men seldom make good who try to be good on the installment plan.

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Gold Dust stands at the head of all cleaners and cleansing products—it has stood right there ever since it was introduced.

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To use Gold Dust for all household cleaning is to do your work in the shortest and best way.

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Opportunity is Knocking at Your Door



"Let the GOLD DUST TWINS do your work"

SEEKS TO HEAD THE CHILDREN'S BUREAU



Mrs. Lydia W. Wickliffe.

Miss Julia C. Lathrop, chief of the children's bureau of the department of commerce and labor at Washington, will be opposed in her candidacy for reappointment under the Wilson administration by Mrs. Lydia W. Wickliffe of St. Francisville, La., who will seek the post for herself. Mrs. Wickliffe is the widow of Representative Robert W. Wickliffe of Louisiana, who was killed by a Southern Railway train near Washington last year.

FOURTEEN DROWNED

YAZOO CITY, Miss., Feb. 7.—Very meagre reports reached here today of the accident to the tugboat Monarch, which struck a submerged snag and sank in Tchulala lake. Advertisers said that fourteen of the crew of twenty men were drowned.

DAKOTA, MINN.

A party was given last Sunday night at Julius Johnson's. A good time was enjoyed by those attending.

Mr. Bell of Sparta, visited with his brother, Thomas Fell, Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. Sam Miller of Richmond, is visiting with her sister, Mrs. John Haastad.

Edward T. Dow of La Crosse was in town Tuesday tuning pianos.

Carl Haney is ill with an attack of appendicitis.

Mrs. Calvin Grant is sick with the grip.

Master Charles Richmond of Pine

Creek is visiting his sister, Miss Annie Richmond.

Facts About Coffee.

Coffee originally came from the island of Mocha, whence in the year 1610 coffee trees were transported to Holland. This article of diet was first scientifically cultivated at Surinam by the Dutch in 1718. Though coffee was not known either to the Greeks or Romans, it was used as a beverage by the Persians in early times. The first coffee house of which there is any record was opened in Constantinople in 1511, and coffee was first brought to France in 1662 by Thevenet, the famous traveler.

GARNER MEASURE APPROVED

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7.—The Garner resolution, demanding that Attorney General Wickersham transmit to congress all correspondence in connection with the Texas oil cases, to determine whether Wickersham acted in a proper manner when he withheld service of warrants against John D. Archbold, Henry C. Folger, Jr., and other Standard Oil officials, was approved by the house judiciary committee.

The Earth's Area.

The area of the earth's surface is computed at 196,712,000 square miles, of which 144,712,000 are covered by the oceans and 52,000,000, or about two-fifths, is land. The circumference of the earth at the equator is about 24,902 miles. The density of the earth is computed at five and a half times that of the water. The visible lands of the earth's surface consist of six great continents and many islands. Only one of the continents—Australia—is entirely in the southern hemisphere; North America, Europe and Asia are entirely in the northern hemisphere; South America and Africa lie partly in both north and south hemispheres.

Delicate Discrimination.

"One can make anything express one's feelings if so inclined."

"How do you mean?"

"Didn't you notice what Amy did when she handed the refreshments around? She gave Mame, who is her chum, some angel food and handed Jessie only the devil cake." — Baltimore American.

Golden Measure.

"In Australia," bragged the native of that country, "you can pick up gold by the pint."

"It comes in quartz in America," retorted the quick witted nephew of Uncle Sam.—Pittsburgh Post.

A widower has to use great precaution to avoid being accused of joy riding home from his wife's funeral. A man wants his wife to have faith in him when what she needs is to get money out of him.

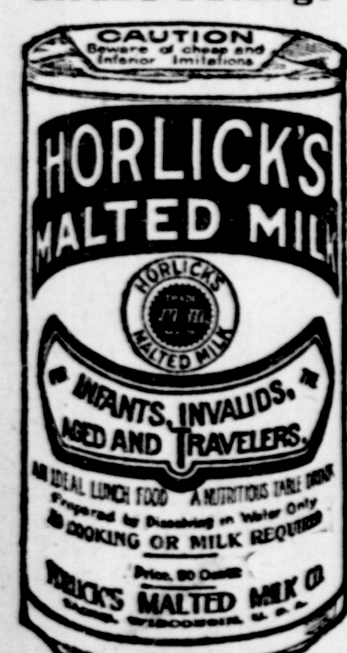
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A KITCHEN make a thick paste of it in boiling water. No grating—no melting. 'Twill improve the cake—save time and expense.

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The most powerful story of its kind ever filmed.

"THE WILD FLOWER OF PINO MOUNTAIN"

A beautiful story of frontier life.

Museum of Daily Facts and Freaks

Burglar Steals Dope
PATERSON, N. J., Feb. 7.—Ignoring a safe that contained thousands of dollars, a burglar made off with a small bottle of cocaine from the drug store of William S. McDermott.

Deserts Domestic Wife
NEW YORK.—Because she developed domestic traits and banished the white lights forever, Mrs. Howard Phelps, Jr., chorus girl bride, has been deserted by her wealthy husband.

Keeps Body Two Years
LONDON.—Sarah Kearley, spinster, 64, slept two nights with the body of her roommate, Ellen Griffin, 70, thinking she might come to life, and then kept it in her house two years before the police found it.

French Flowers Bloom
PARIS.—The usual warm spring-like weather has caused flowers to bloom two months ahead of time throughout France.

Always Hits.
"I suppose your wife misses you a great deal?" inquired a lady of a commercial traveler.
"Well, no. For a woman she has a remarkably straight aim," was the reply.—London Express.

Hawaiian Islands.
The total area of the Sandwich or Hawaiian Islands is about the same as New Jersey.

Muddy Skin Clears Quickly

Secret for Beautifying Face and Arms, by Valeska Suratt, the Self-Made Beauty of the American Stage.

"There is nothing in all my experience which produces such an exquisite effect on the complexion, and in such a short time, as the following formula which I use exclusively," says Valeska Suratt.

"Let half a pint of water come almost to a boil. Add two tablespoonfuls of glycerine. Keep stirring, while adding one ounce of zinc oxide, until it is all dissolved. Then let cool. If the cream is too thick to pour easily from a bottle, thin it down a little with more hot water. The cream will be white and satiny. After bathing in the morning, hold a wet, hot towel to the face several times for several minutes. Rub this cream on the entire face, liberally. Let the cream dry on the face. Repeat this again at night. Any good druggist will sell you an ounce of zinc oxide for not more than fifty cents."

"In a short time, all muddiness, sallowness, spots, freckles, in fact, every blemish disappears almost as by a magic wand. I use it also on my hands, arms and shoulders. It makes the skin exquisitely beautiful, soft and satiny, like the petals of a rose. Every woman ought to use it. It is inexpensive. You will find a wonderful result in a very short time."

REVIVALS CLOSE WITH RECEPTION

Evangelist Barker Declares Salvation of Country Is in Hands of Young Voter

HE PREACHES OLD TIME GOSPEL

Says Conversion Changed His Desires but Believes Cards, Theaters and Dances Harmless

Last night closed the three weeks of evangelistic mission held in the First Methodist church, which has been conducted by Rev. G. L. Barker of New Jersey. Rev. Barker used for his text St. John 1-12, "He Came to His Own, and His Own Received Him not." In speaking of revivals he said: "The church often needs examinations of its members in the form of revivals."

Rev. Barker preaches the "old time gospel," but he said: "I go to the theater whenever I please, I play cards whenever I please, and I go to a dance whenever I please." He gave his audience to understand that after he was converted he did not care to do these things, but that he did not think that they would be a detriment to his eternal welfare.

In his sermon Rev. Barker showed what a power the young man was in the community, and what power his vote had. "Give me the young men of Wisconsin," he said, "and I'll save your state from an impure ballot box, save the honor and virtue and the chastity of your home, and I'll make hats make their nests in every prison in our land, and grass grow on every court house step."

In a short address the pastor, Rev. T. Stanley Oadams, expressed his gratitude to the members of the church and friends who had stood by the work during the three weeks. At the close of the service last night, a reception was given Rev. Barker and members of the chorus choir, who took part in the singing during the meetings, at the home of the pastor, Rev. T. Stanley Oadams. Before the guests left for the evening a song written by Rev. Oadams and dedicated to Barker, was sung, "Are You Willing to be Made Willing," the thought suggesting itself by an expression often used by Rev. Barker.

The Gray Kangaroo.
Perhaps the most remarkable of Australia's fauna is the big gray kangaroo, which, measuring seven feet from nose to tail, can clear ten yards at a jump and travel faster than a horse.

In Lunnon.
First Workman (disgusted)—These blinkin' furnurers comes a 'obnohh. I'm in the toobs and 'buses, and wiv us, they gits to tork Henglish very high as good as me an you. Bill; not 'arf, they don't!—London Punch.

An optimist is a man who lays by a little sunshine for a rainy day.

LA CROSSE PLANS A WARM WELCOME

Capt. Roald Amundson, Discoverer of South Pole, to Be Extensively Entertained

HE LECTURES HERE ON SUNDAY

Great Explorer Rouses Interest in Largest Cities in the United States

The following article which appeared in the Boston Post, January 22, may serve to indicate the interest with which Capt. Roald Amundsen, the discoverer of the South pole, is received in other cities of the United States. Capt. Amundsen will deliver lectures Sunday afternoon and evening in the La Crosse theater and citizens of Norwegian birth and descent are making extensive plans for his entertainment during his stay in the city. The Post article is as follows:

Captain Roald Amundsen spent about as strenuous a day in Boston yesterday as he ever did on his famous dash for the South Pole. In the face of a round of addresses and receptions, he smilingly admitted this himself last night.

Day of Triumph
But there was certainly nothing polar about the warmth of Boston's reception the famous explorer. From the moment when Captain Amundsen stepped from his train at the South Station at 7 o'clock yesterday morning to be greeted by applause from several thousands such as would have been worthy of a president, till the final round of cheering from the audience that crammed every nook of Tremont Temple at his lecture last evening, the polar conqueror's day was a continuous triumph.

The resident fellow countrymen of the great Norwegian did their utmost to do him honor; and, as President MacLaurin of Technology told the Tremont Temple audience last night, "the other citizens of Boston showed his countrymen that they had no monopoly in admiration for his achievements." Dr. MacLaurin further expressed for Capt. Amundsen and for the "American who has stood on the other end of the stick," the regret that there are no more poles to conquer.

Captain Amundsen brought with him to Boston a distrust of flying as a means of polar exploration, a daring plan to spend five years in the Arctic in the staunch old ice-jammer Fram in an effort successfully to carry out Nansen's futile plan to drift across the North Pole, and a story of the overcoming of such conditions of low temperatures and mountainous ice barriers as no pole seeker before him has yet had to face.

What most thrilled the explorer's audience was his account of the deadly cold he had to face. The mean temperature of the frigid land over which he and his four companions travelled to the pole was 15 degrees below zero; the coldest that a human being has ever withstood for such a length of time in the known history of the race.

In the winter that the Amundsen expedition spent on the great ice barrier on the edge of the Antarctic continent, preparatory to their attempt on the pole, there were five months in which the thermometer registered more than 60 below zero. The lowest temperature they encountered was 75 degrees below.

"Along in September, 1911, it began to get warm enough for us to start for the pole; so when it got up to only 34 degrees below zero on the 8th, off we went," Captain Amundsen remarked this as casually as if he was telling about the weather getting warm enough to go on a picnic; and the audience laughed and shivered.

But this nice warm weather proved a false alarm; for a few days after they had started the thermometer began to drop, and when it got down to 73 degrees below they had to turn back for the time being. "We men might have gone on," said the lecturer seriously, "but it was too hard on the dogs."

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Perhaps the most wonderful feature of the whole story was the description of living out the winter before the dash, in what was really a roomy ice palace carved out of the ice barrier itself.

Surrounded by ice the hardy men worked, ate and slept. They even rigged up a regular Turkish bath with walls of ice. The real start for the pole was made Oct. 20 in the height of the spring of those regions. The explorers had to get from the ice barrier to the land by climbing up a great glacier between mountains 15,000 feet high. Leaving two caches of food behind for their return journey, they had finally to kill and eat 24 of their dogs in order to reach the pole.

They got to its approximate vicinity Dec. 14 and staked out a great square, which included the pole within its limits. They spent three days in the place, exactly locating the crucial point, on which, when they bade it farewell with bared heads, they left flying a Norwegian pennant. Perhaps the most moving incident of the whole trip to an outsider was the planting of the English flag in latitude 88 degrees, 7 minutes, the farthest south that had been reached by Lieutenant Shackleton, Captain Amundsen's illustrious predecessor.

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HEARS 4,000 MILE CALL ON WIRELESS

SEATTLE, Wash., Feb. 7. — The wireless operator at the United States army post at Eagle, Alaska, heard the government station at Key West, Fla., sending a message to Mare Island, Cal., Dec. 18, according to mail reports received yesterday. The distance from Key West to Eagle is more than 4,000 miles.

A Lost Warning.
"It is imprudent on your part to leave loaded guns within your son's reach like this."
"Oh, he doesn't even know they are guns; he was using them for stilts the other day."—Pele Mele.

Thunder In Various Regions.
Java is said to be the region of the globe where it thunders oftenest, having thunderstorms ninety-seven days in the year. After it are Sumatra, with eighty-six days; Hindustan, with fifty-six; Borneo, with fifty-four; the Gold Coast, with fifty-two, and Rio de Janeiro, with fifty-one. In Europe Italy occupies the first place, with thirty-eight days of thunder, while France and southern Russia have sixteen days. Great Britain and Switzerland have each seven days, and Norway has four. Thunder is rare at Cairo, being heard only three days in the year, and extremely rare in northern Turkestan and the polar regions.

YESTERDAY'S WORK IN THE LEGISLATURE

Senate
Bills Introduced:

Burke—To remove Stout Institute from Menominee to Eau Claire and convert it into a normal school.

Culbertson—Authorizing railroad commission to examine securities of stock companies to be placed on sale, and to issue licenses permitting such sales.

Kellogg—Relating to closed season for fish in Rush lake.

Burke—To authorize appointment of men to examine and test locomotives.

Kileen—To permit assistant pharmacists to practice in towns of less than 1,200 population.

Ackley—To abolish class dances at state educational institutions.

Had Her Third.
"If you do not want to marry Mrs. Sims why do you not appeal to the courts to protect your legal rights?"

"But what rights have I under the law?"

"A widow is not entitled to more than a third, and this woman has been married three times already."—Buffalo Express.

In their efforts to make both ends meet some people break in the middle.

This is the winter of discontent for the ice man, who can't sleep for calculating the coal man's profits.

MOST SICKNESS COMES FROM WEAK, INACTIVE KIDNEYS

Recent Reports Show Hundreds Suffer With Kidney Troubles and Don't Know It

There are scores of nervous, tired, run-down people throughout the city, suffering with pains in the back and sides, dizzy spells, weaknesses of the bladder, (frequently causing annoyance at night) who fail to realize the seriousness of their troubles until such conditions as chronic rheumatism, bladder troubles, dropsy, diabetes or even Bright's disease result. All this is due to weak, inactive kidneys. The kidneys are the filters of the blood, and no one can be well and healthy unless the kidneys work properly. It is even more important than that the bowels move regularly.

If you suffer with such symptoms don't neglect yourself another day and run the risk of serious complications. Secure an original package of the new discovery, Croxone, which costs but a trifle, and commence its use at once.

When you have taken a few doses, you will be surprised how differently you will feel.

Croxone cures the worst cases of kidney, bladder trouble and rheumatism, because it removes the cause. It cleans out the kidneys, and makes them filter out all the poisonous waste matter and uric acid, that lodge in the joints and muscles, causing rheumatism; soothes and heals the bladder, and quickly relieves you of all your misery.

You will find Croxone different from all other remedies. There is nothing else on earth like it. It matters not how old you are or how long you have suffered, it is so prepared that it is practically impossible to take it into the human system without results.

You can secure an original package of Croxone from any first class druggist. All druggists are authorized to personally return the purchase price if it fails to give the desired results the very first time you use it.

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LOT ONE—Ladies' Cloaks in sizes 16, 18 and 36 to 40, at **\$5.98**

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We have all satin lined \$40.00 Plush Coats, 36 to 45 size, at the low price of **\$20.00** each

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All wool, in gray or red, Saturday at **\$2.95**

CORSETS
Heavy, extra long low bust **50c**

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Napkins to match **\$1.25**
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Heavy hotel towel, all linen **15c**

UNION SUITS
Ladies' fleeced union suits **89c**

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LOT ONE—Children's Coats that we had left over from last season, at the low price of **\$1.95**

LOT TWO—Children's Coats, all this fall's styles, at **\$3.98**

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Any Ladies' Coat or Men's Overcoat in the store, worth up to \$22.50. **YOUR LAST CHANCE.** If you don't need a coat now, get one for next winter.

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TSCHARNER URGES A NEW ORDINANCE

Would Compel Tradesmen
to Itemize Bills Giv-
ing Pounds and
Price

TO COME UP IN COUNCIL MEETING

Protest Against Cost of
Living Has Approval
of City Sealer
Derr

A resolution or ordinance compelling the butchers and grocers of the city to furnish their customers complete itemized statements, showing the number of pounds of meat or other commodities and the price per pound as well as the total amounts, when the goods are delivered, will be offered at the next meeting of the common council.

The movement, which resulted in the drafting of the ordinance, was begun by Postmaster William B. Tschanner and has the approval and support of Eugene Derr, sealer of weights and measures. Mr. Tschanner took the matter up with Mayor John Dengler and it is probable that the ordinance will be introduced by an alderman at his request.

Protest Against Living Cost.
The movement, begun by Mr. Tschanner as a protest against the high cost of living, was conceived after a careful investigation of the methods of presenting meat and grocery bills in use by some of the merchants with whom he does his household trading.

Interviewed today Mr. Tschanner declared that he is convinced that the butchers and grocers will welcome the passing of such an ordinance and that it will result in great benefit to consumers and the merchants as well.

"Convinced that I did not always receive the amount of goods which the bills called for," he said, "I began a systematic keeping of accounts. I weighed everything I bought and checked up with the price per pound. I found that in a large number of instances I was being overcharged."

"I do not want to give the impression that the grocer or butcher was intentionally dishonest but if the bills contained the number of pounds and the price per pound together with the total amount to be collected, I am convinced that the mistakes would not occur and I should have received the full amounts of my order. If every consumer in the city would insist that the grocer or butcher, with whom they trade, present their bills itemized in this way, I believe that part of the high cost of living question would be solved."

Benefit to Merchants.
"Let me give one example out of several I found during my series of experiments. I ordered five pounds of meat from a butcher and it was delivered together with a bill for 85 cents. When I weighed it I discovered that it weighed only three and one-half pounds. I called the butcher up on the telephone and asked the price of meat and he said 17½ cents a pound. Then I asked him how many pounds he sent me, and he said he thought about five pounds. Now I do not believe that package of meat would have been a pound and a half short if the bill would have shown how many pounds the package contained, and the price per pound."

Mr. Tschanner declared that the proposed ordinance would save the consumer the annoyance of asking the merchants to make out their bills in this way, and would also be of assistance to the honest merchant.

The fellow with money to burn doesn't have to go begging for a light. Speak well of the dead—and don't forget to put in a good word for the living occasionally.

GAS AND ELECTRIC BILLS

Consumers Are Reminded That

MONDAY February 10th

is the Last Discount Day for the
Payment of Bills for
Gas and Electric
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PUBLIC DEBATE

Mr. Editor:

In these somewhat off days on the equal suffrage question while waiting for the action of the legislature in the matter of again referring the question to the voters, while the state organization and the local clubs are reorganizing and getting ready for the work in the future, it is well to remember that there are things to be done right now by the suffragists.

One important thing to be done is to prepare to register and vote at the spring election for state superintendent of schools—their only direct privilege. Women have been accused in the past of not using the ballot when they have the opportunity, and that has been given as one reason why they should not vote at all. There is some truth in the charge; but it is to be hoped that with the new interest taken in votes for women, that charge may no longer be used against them. It seems illogical and foolish to compel women to go through all the preparations for voting and then allow them to vote on one subject only. However, if they will only use their own talent now they may be given the five talents sometime in the future. It is a question if many men would turn out if vote on the school question alone. If the reason is given that most women know nothing about the school question, not even knowing that they have a right to vote on it at all; it may be said that that ignorance is shared to the same extent by the most of men voters; but they vote on other questions and so take in the school question with the rest whether they know anything about it or not. So, suffragist women, wake up, talk to your indifferent friends and make a good showing at the polls. That will go far in itself in influencing our legislature to work for the act when it comes up for a hearing, I am assuming, of course, that the question of equal suffrage will be heard by the legislature and again referred to the voters; because it would be simply inhuman not to do so, when, though losing the state

at the fall election, it must be remembered that only six months were given in which to educate the people upon a somewhat radical question.

There was only time to scratch the ground a little in spots, and taking that fact into consideration, the crop consisting of 16,000,000 votes or more, was a good one. To encourage the legislature to work for a referendum, it would, no doubt, be an excellent plan to send to the members petitions signed by as many influential citizens, both men and women, as can be obtained. This course might encourage the friends of the movement, help the undecided to decide in its favor and give the enemies the idea that the suffragists in Wisconsin are not dead yet. Quite the contrary, in fact, as the following incident will show: The writer was asked for points in a suffrage debate since the election, by a young lady living in one of our richest farming communities, with a fine school and a literary debating society. She said prior to election they had heard little or nothing on the subject, consequently, when the men went to vote they were very naturally voted no. People came from miles around to listen to the debate and seemed greatly interested in the question. The judges decided in the negative; but the people thought the affirmative had the best points in the debate. This ignorance must be laid almost entirely to the country papers which for some reason ignored the subject from start to finish.

C. P. D.

Selling the Children.

At Ravensburg, in the Tyrol, a children's market is held every year, where the children of the poor are sold by auction to the highest bidders. As a rule, boys and girls do not fetch more than a few shillings. When bought the children are taken away to do hard work, the boys being used for agricultural purposes and the girls for domestic work. Sometimes when a would be purchaser cannot decide between two boys he makes the youngsters fight and parts with his money for the winner.—London Answers.

SPOTLIGHTS

"MUTT AND JEFF"

The one real acknowledged howling comedy success of the season comes to the La Crosse theater tonight. The whole country is ringing with laughter over the antics of these two funny fellows who owe their creation to the clever concep-

tion to Bud Fisher, the famous cartoonist. Gus Hill has built a play for their appearance, properly fitted to their peculiar style of entertainment. To have achieved the one spontaneous success of the year is quite an accomplishment.

A carload of magnificent scenery and another of clever performers is necessary for the production which is a go-goous one from every point of view. Mr. Hill has not done it by halves. It is a Broadway show from start to finish.

"SUNNY SOUTH"

J. C. Rockwell's "Sunny South" company, which is announced to appear in the La Crosse theater, matinee and evening, Saturday, February 8, is said to be supplied with several of the latter-day novelties and sensational vaudeville stunts. It is called the laughter show and there is not a minute that seems dull to the audience. It is brim full of the latest songs, jokes and excellent specialties. The song hits are numerous, the comedy clean and bright and the specialties are the kind that not alone please but have merit as well. The fun is like firecrackers and

keeps the audience in an uproar as the pack keeps popping. There is not a minute that is not filled with varied action. The entire performance is said to be of much merit, it is very funny and original. The music is new, bright, wholly enjoyable and of that gingery variety that can be whistled after one hearing. If anyone is in need of a place to spend a pleasant evening, enjoy a good laugh, hear the latest and most popular music, song hits and choruses, they may have it purchasing tickets for the "Sunny South."

The organization is accomplished by a concert band and a superb orchestra. The band will head the Kootenai parade, taking place at noon.

GETS \$1,000 DAMAGES

SOUTH BEND, Ind., Feb. 7.—F. J. Lewis Meyers, prominent South Bend attorney was awarded \$1,000 damages by a jury, in his suit against John W. Talbot, supreme president of the Order of Owls. Meyer asked \$50,000 for an alleged slanderous remark passed in a local saloon. The jury was out fifteen hours.

THRIFT.

The art of getting riches consists very much in thrift. All men are not equally qualified for getting money, but it is in the power of every one alike to practice this virtue. He that would be beforehand in the world must be beforehand with his business. It is not only ill management, but it discovers a slothful disposition, to do that in the term on which should have been done in the morning.—Benjamin Franklin.

The Himalayas.

In the Himalayas, on the side facing India, the limit of perpetual snow is about 6,500 feet higher than in the Alps. One result of this is that various forms of life are found in the great Asian mountains at an elevation which seems extraordinary. Among these are many species of ants. Up to nearly 10,000 feet the ants are very abundant, and even at the elevation of 12,000 feet four species have been found, and it is believed that more careful investigation would show that they exist even at 13,000 feet or more.

Applying the Phrase.

Editor (to new reporter)—You say in this report of the fire that "the lurid glare of forked flames shot athwart the dark domed sky." Are you sure of that? New Reporter—Yes, sir; I saw the whole thing. Editor—Did you notice any insurance man looking about the place, or learn what caused the fire, or the probable amount of property destroyed? New Reporter—No, sir. Editor (striking match)—Well, just watch the lurid glare of forked flames shoot athwart this report!—Liverpool Mercury.

Suffered For His Chickens.

In London as far back as 1791 a city ordinance was passed to suppress the early morning cries of the street hucksters. This law was so severe that a person arrested twice for the same offense could be imprisoned for ten years. There is one record of a man lingering in prison for ten years. When his time was up he was asked what his crime was.

"For selling chickens that squawked," was the reply.

In the confusion of the trial the fact was not brought out that the chickens and not the man were responsible for the din that aroused the wrath of the disturbed citizens.

Funny how a woman who fears a mouse can bluff a man.

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At first no disease is apparently more harmless than dropsy; a little swelling of the eyelids, hands, feet, ankles or abdomen. Finally there is great shortness of breath, smothering spells, sitting up to breathe, cough, faint spells, sometimes nausea and vomiting, even bursting of the limbs and a lingering and wretched death if the dropsy is not removed.

Dr. Miles has been known as a leading specialist in these diseases for 30 years. His liberal offer is certainly worthy of serious consideration. You may not have another opportunity.

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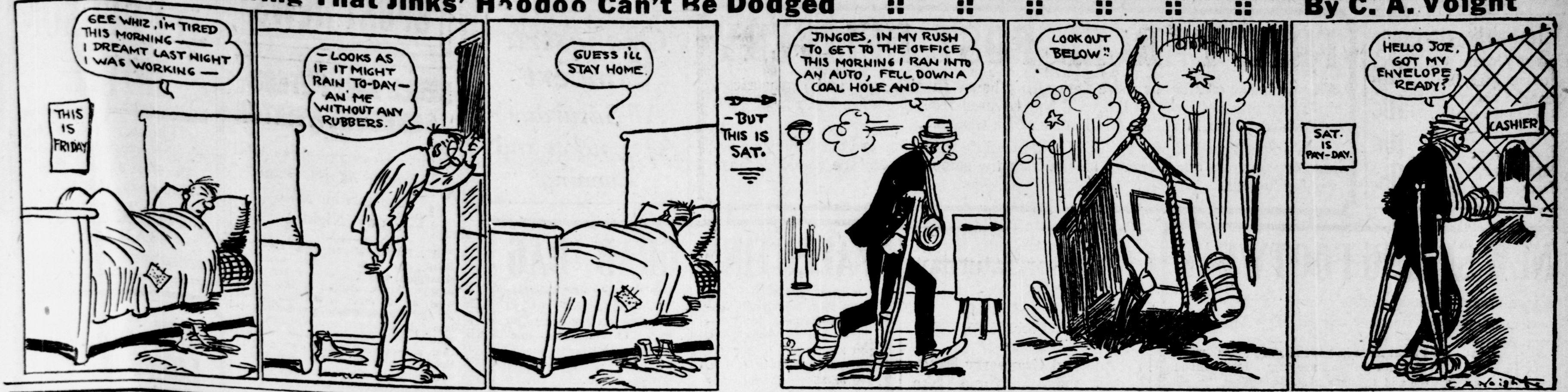
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WANTED—Short order cook and kitchen girl at once. Hotel Foley, 561 Mill. 1 15 tf

WANTED—A neat school girl to work for board and room by helping with housework. 113 North Sixth. Call new phone 820-R. 2 6 8

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WANTED—At Moore's Laundry, marker and sorter. 312 South Fourth. 2 1 13

WANTED—Girl at the Green Bay hotel. Mat Wiltberger, proprietor. 2 1 tf

WANTED—Girls at Hotel Doering. 2 4 tf

WANTED—Competent girl or general housework. 520 South Ninth. 2 5 7

WANTED—Pastry cook at the Inn Side Inn. V. M. C. A. 2 7 10

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ELECTRIC MOTOR for sale cheap. 1/2 h. p. D. C. 220 V. variable speed. Brown, nearly new, silent running, perfect condition. Speed regulator, switch box, etc. W. V. Kider, 114 North Fifth. Phone 1202-R. 1 13 tf

FOR SALE—Household goods. 1911 Wood street. 2 7 12

FOR SALE—A medium size office safe of standard make. Excellent condition. Conveniently arranged for any average use. I. G. Loomis, 225 Main street. 2 5 7

FOR SALE—Nine room house and lot. Inquire 1113 South Third street. 1 31 tf

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I WILL SELL my entire stock of fine pictures at real sacrifice prices. Nothing reserved. Prices cut to below cost. Am going out of business. I. G. Loomis, 225 Main St. 2 5 7

FOR SALE—Household furniture, 718 Main. Call from 9 a. m. to 3 p. m. 2 3 8

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FOR SALE—Counters, at 803 South Eleventh street. 2 3 8

FOR SALE—Five room cottage on full lot. 1459 Redfield street. 1 6 2 11

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COLUMBIA GRAPONOLAS, from \$20 to \$500. Double disc records, 65c. Weis Book Store, 509 Main St. 1 21 2 20

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Are there 95 men who will join me and subscribe \$200 apiece, or are there 199 men who will subscribe \$100 apiece to carry out this proposition? Now understand, that this is not a money making proposition in itself, it is merely a city building plan. The idea being to give sites free as an inducement to factories to locate here. If any number of men think favorably of this proposition, they may subscribe for this fund with the understanding that they are not bound to pay their subscription unless an amount sufficient to carry out this plan has been subscribed, and are to hold interest in a lot to the amount of their subscription, and are to receive their money when the lots are sold. LET ME HEAR FROM YOU.

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Cranberries, Cape Cod, per bbl. 8.50
Cranberries, Wis., per bbl. 7.50
Oysters, Standards, per gal. 1.30
Oysters, Selects, per gal. 1.60
Potatoes, Irish, per bu.40
Onions, red or yellow, bu.75
Cabbage, per bbl. 1.50
Naval oranges, size 96-126, box 3.25
Naval oranges, 150-176-200-216 box 3.75
Grape Fruit, 36-40, box 3.25
Grape fruit, 54-64-80, box 3.50
Western Apples—
Fancy Jonathans, box 1.50
Wagners, box 1.50
Wine Saps, box 1.50
Spitzenburgs, box 1.50
Rome Beauty, box 1.50
Baldwins, fancy 3.00
R. L. Greenings, fancy 3.00
Russets, fancy 3.25
Kings, fancy 3.25
Ben Davis 3.50
Willow Twigs 3.50
Genious Wine Saps 3.50

Livestock
(By Langdon & Boyd Packing Co.)
Hogs \$7.00 to \$7.50
Steers \$3.00 to \$5.50
Cows \$2.00 to \$4.25
Heifers \$2.50 to \$4.50
Spring lambs \$5.00 to \$5.50
Sheep \$2.50 to \$3.00

Poultry
Chickens 10c to 11c
Spring chickens 10c to 11c
Turkeys 14c
Ducks 11c
Geese, pound 10c

Provisions
Lard, per pound 12 1/2 to 13c
Shoulders, per pound 13c
Hams, per pound 15 to 15 1/2c
Bacon, per pound 16c to 18c
Dried beef, per pound 18 to 20c

Butter and Eggs
(Quoted by Hawley Com. Co.)
Creamery butter, pound 34 to 35c
Dairy butter, pound 28 to 30c
Eggs, fresh, dozen 20 to 23c
Eggs, seconds 20c

Grain
(Quoted by Thomas-Phalon Co.)
Barley 45 to 55c
Corn 40 to 48c
Oats 30 to 32c
Wheat 75 to 85c
Rye 45 to 51c

Flour and Feed
(Quoted by Listman Milling Co.)
Patent, per barrel \$4.90
Straight, per barrel \$4.70
Bran, per ton \$23.00
Shorts, per ton \$24.00
White middlings, per ton \$28.00
Red Dog \$32.00

Cheese
(Quoted by Hy. Anderregg)
Fancy full cream brick in case 17c
Fancy full cream brick in half-cases 17c
Fancy full cream twins 17c
Fancy full cream Daisy's 18c
Fancy full cream Limburger 18 to 20c
Fancy full cream Swiss, block 20c
German hand cheese, per box 90c
Fancy full cream Swiss, round 22c

Our Interiors.
Willie—Pa, our "inferiors" are just people that know less than we do, aren't they? Pa—No, my son; usually they're people who merely know less than we think we do.—Philadelphia Press.

LOCAL MAN FALLS THROUGH WINDOW

CHICAGO, Feb. 7.—(Special.) James W. Scott of La Crosse, in a hurry to leave the building at 325 South Dearborn street, last evening, did not wait for an elevator. He slipped at the second floor landing, slid all the way down the stairs at increasing speed. He somersaulted through the plate glass window to the sidewalk and alighted on his face in the street. Patrolman Orr wheeled around at the crash of the window glass, and was about to call for the ambulance when Mr. Scott sat up, looked around cautiously to make sure he had no farther to fall, and staggered to his feet. "Goshalmighty," he observed, "but that was a fast trip. I'm going back to La Crosse."

FOREIGN MARKETS

New York Stocks
NEW YORK, Feb. 7.—The stock market opened fairly strong with slight advances in leading issues. 11 a. m.—The promise of strength shown at the opening of the market was fulfilled during the first hour. Flurries occurred in several issues, notably Union Pacific and Southern Pacific, but they amounted to no more than fractional gains or losses. Union Pacific showed more strength than Southern Pacific. Noon—The market relapsed into dullness at the end of the first hour and remained quiet until noon. There was little trading. 2 p. m.—Although prices held up fairly well, extreme dullness marked the afternoon's trading. The stock market closed dull.

New York Money
NEW YORK, Feb. 7.—Money on call 3%. Time money 4 1/2 % for 6 mos. Prime mercantile 4 1/2 %. Bar Silver: London 28 11-16d; New York 63 3/4 c. Demand sterling 48 7/8.

Kansas City Livestock
KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 7.—Cattle—Receipts 700; market steady; no good steers; cows and heifers \$3.00 to \$7.50; stockers and feeders \$3.00 to \$7.00; calves \$4.00 to \$10.00. Hogs—Receipts 4,000; market 10c higher; bulk \$7.50 to \$7.70; heavy \$7.35 to \$7.55; medium \$7.65 to \$7.75; light \$7.50 to \$7.70. Sheep—Receipts 3,000; market 10 to 15c higher; lambs \$8.00 to \$8.75; ewes \$4.50 to \$5.15; wethers and yearlings \$5.00 to \$5.80.

Chicago Livestock
UNION STOCK YARDS, Ill., Feb. 7.—Hogs—Receipts 25,000; market strong to 10c higher; mixed and butchers \$7.65 to \$7.95; good heavy \$7.65 to \$7.95; rough heavy \$7.55 to \$7.65; light \$7.70 to \$8.00; pigs \$6.50 to \$7.80. Cattle—Receipts 15,000; market slow and steady; beefs \$6.50 to \$8.90; cows and heifers \$6.00 to \$7.50; stockers and feeders \$4.75 to \$7.50; Texans \$4.90 to \$5.75; calves \$6.50 to \$10.00. Sheep—Receipts 6,000; market steady to strong; native \$4.85 to \$6.10; western \$4.90 to \$6.10.

Chicago Grain Review
CHICAGO, Feb. 7.—Accumulation of over-night buying orders led to sharp rise in wheat at the opening, despite the absence of fullish factors. There was an immediate reaction, however, and prices fell almost to last night's level. May wheat was up 1/4c, at the opening, but lost 1/4c by noon and July rose 1/4c at the opening and then dropped 1/4c. Firmness in the Liverpool afternoon quotations prevented a further decline. Corn followed wheat. May orders were up 1/4c and then held firm on strong cables. July opened up 1/4c and later declined an 1/4c. Oats had an upward trend, May opening firm and gaining 1/4c and July opening down 1/4c, but recovering. Good commission house demand held up the market. Provisions continued their upward course, taking sharp gains in live trading.

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LA CROSSE, WIS.
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Observations taken at 8 a. m., 75th meridian time. Air pressure reduced to sea level. Isotherms (continuous lines) pass through points of equal air pressure. Isotherms (dotted lines) pass through points of equal temperature; drawn only for zero, freezing, 50°, and 100°. Clear: ☉ partly cloudy: ☁ cloudy: ☂ rain: ☄ snow: ☄ report missing. Arrows fly with the wind. First figure: lowest temperature past 12 hours; second, precipitation of .01 inch or more for past 24 hours; third, maximum wind velocity.

Chicago Produce
CHICAGO, Feb. 7.—Butter—Extras 34 1/2 to 35c; firsts 27 to 29c; dairy extras 30c; firsts 26c. Eggs—Prime firsts 24c; firsts 23c. Cheese—Twins 16 1/2 to 16 3/4 c; Young Americas 16 1/2 to 17c. Potatoes—42 to 47c. Live Poultry—Fowls 15 to 15 1/2 c; ducks 16 to 17c; geese 13 to 14c; spring chickens 16 to 17c; turkeys 15c.

Barley and Flax
Minneapolis barley 44 to 53c. Minneapolis flax \$1.37 1/2 @ 1.38. Chicago barley 50 to 70c. Duluth flax \$1.29 1/2.

Chicago Cash Grain
CHICAGO, Feb. 7.—Wheat—No. 2 red \$1.11 to \$1.13 1/2; No. 3 red \$1.02 to \$1.09; No. 2 hard 93 to 96c; No. 3 hard 91 to 95c; No. 3 spring 86 to 88c. Corn—No. 3, 49 1/2 to 50 1/2 c; No. 3 white 51 to 52c; No. 3 yellow 49 1/2 to 51c; No. 4, 48 1/2 to 49c; No. 4 white 48 1/2 to 50 1/2 c; No. 4 yellow 46 1/2 to 49c. Oats—No. 3 white 34 to 34 1/2 c; No. 4 white 33 to 33 1/2 c; standard 35 to 35 1/2 c.

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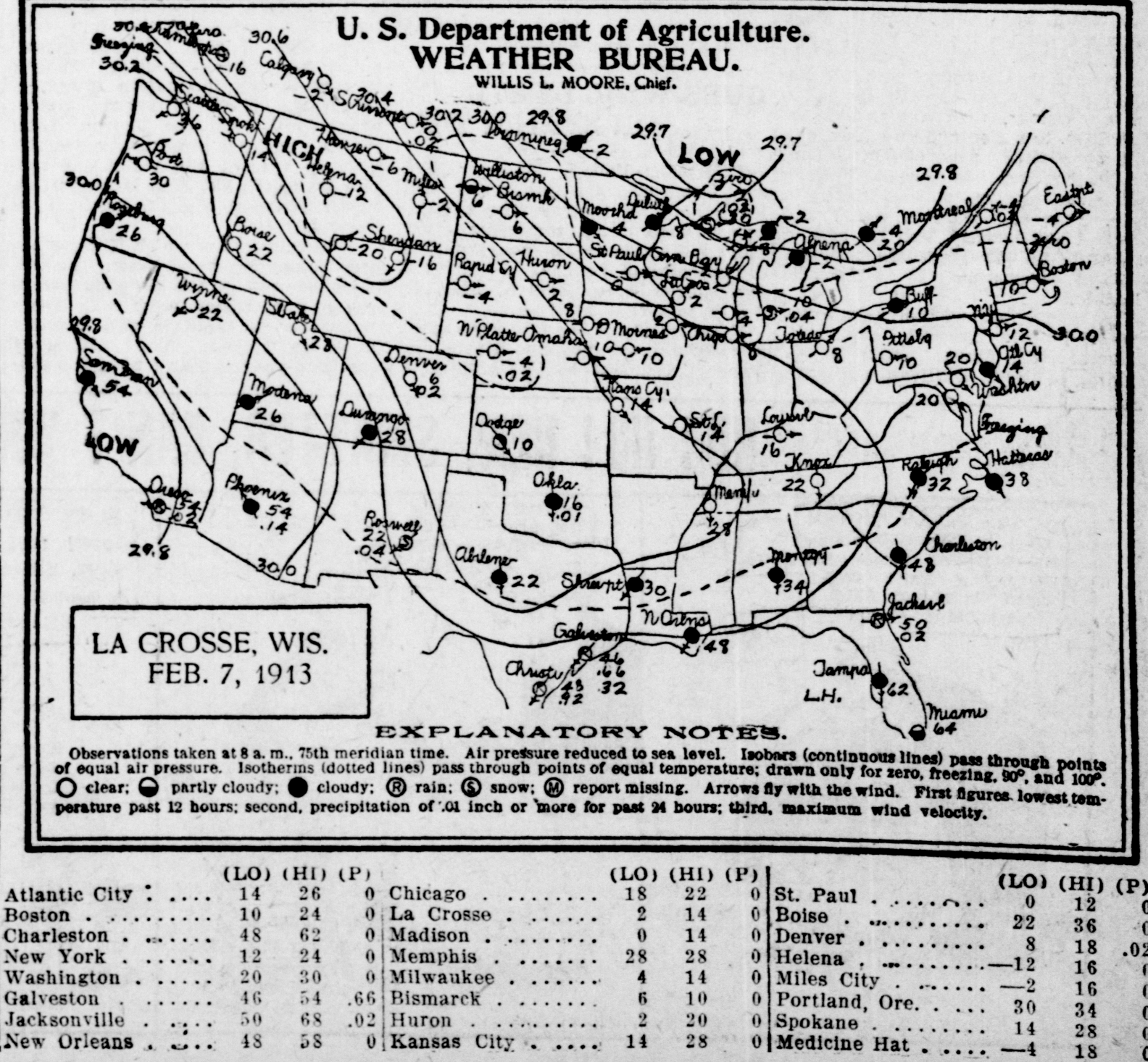
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5 acres of all black soil, with a 5 room house, closets and basement under entire house, a good barn, hen house and hog corn crib, hen house and hog corn crib, 19 shade trees, also 30 house, 19 shade trees; grape vines, gooseberry and currant bushes. This property must be sold within a short time and at a bargain. One block out at a bargain. Inquire 121 of city limits. Inquire 121 South Front street, La Crosse, Wis. 2 6 7

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with spring approaching to get after the business before competitors swamp the consumer with literature. The early bird—who uses multiple letters—can afford to deck his wife in brilliant plumage.

W. V. KIDDER, 114 N. Fifth

Lord Cromer when ruler of Egypt made himself hateful to all sorts of rascals in that country, but he worked wonders of reform there and left it in more contented frame of mind than it had ever known previous to his arrival. While Lord Salisbury was British premier a member of the ministry complained that Lord Cromer had told him to go to the devil. "Dear me," said Salisbury, "he tells me that every time he comes to London."—London Tit-Bits.

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Large Cream Hearts, per lb. . . .	10c
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SPORT NEWS

BEELL AND PETERS
SCHEDULE A MATCH

Light Heavyweights Will
Wrestle at St. Paul
Auditorium Mon-
day Night

ST. PAUL, Minn., Feb. 7.—Fred Beell, light heavyweight wrestling champion, and Theodore Peter, light heavyweight champion of the north-west, are to meet in a finish match for the championship in the Auditorium here Monday night, Feb. 10. The match is causing greater interest than any previous affair ever held in the west, outside of the Gotch-Hackenschmidt, Gotch-Zbyszko and Gotch-Mahmout matches.

Wrestling fans for hundreds of miles in this vicinity are reserving seats and it appears that the immense Auditorium, holding 10,000, will be filled. Fred Beell, better known as the "Wisconsin Wonder," is one of the best known of the American wrestlers. He has defeated every other American wrestler, including even Gotch himself, during his career. It was six years ago last December when the Badger wrestler put the heavyweight champion on his back at New Orleans.

However, during the last two years Beell has not shown quite his old form and has not cared to tackle the larger fellows with weight handicaps of from thirty to fifty pounds. However, in all his mat career he has never been defeated by a wrestler of his own weight.

Theodore Peter is not known as well outside of the west. He has been in the game for the last six years, but has never wrestled outside of Minnesota, North and South Dakota and Montana.

Peter is of German descent. He weighs but 165 to 170 pounds. He has acquitted himself well against Ordean, Westergaard, Roller and the other heavyweights. He has never been defeated by a man of his own weight.

During the last year he has shown remarkable improvement and is being backed by many of his followers to pin the shoulders of Beell to the mat.

To the winner of the bout will come considerable money, as matches with Americus of Baltimore, Cyclone Burns of Boston, John Berg of Portland, Pat Connelly of Vancouver, B. C., and many others will go to the victor.

TO HOLD GREAT
SWEDISH GAMES

STOCKHOLM, Sweden, Feb. 7.—The Great Northern games, recurring every fourth year like the international Olympic contests, will begin today. The chief competitions are skating, ski running, ice yachting, bandy, curling, field shooting, fencing, trotting and swimming. The stadium, which has been turned into a beautiful ice palace where the skating tournaments will take place, was thrown open last night with a brilliant ice carnival under the patronage of the crown princess. All the members of the royal family were present.

ONE SHOT AT DOG
COSTS CITY \$867

MARINETTE, Wis., Feb. 7.—The city of Marinette paid \$867 for one shot fired by Cleveland Wright, who was a special officer on the Marinette police force last summer to shoot unmuzzled dogs.

Wright shot at a dog and accidentally struck Miss Nellie Porth, daughter of Albert Porth, a business man. The girl was in a critical condition for some time. Porth told the city council he would not bring suit if the city would pay the hospital and physicians' bills. This was done, and they totaled \$867.

FOLSON TO COACH U. OF C.

BOULDER, Col., Feb. 7.—F. G. Folso, whose success as a football coach at Dartmouth college and at the University of Colorado, has won for him the reputation as one of America's leading athletic mentors, has been engaged to direct the destinies of the University of Colorado football team during the 1919 season.

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MAYOR HARRISON
PROHIBITS MATCH

Promoters Who Gulled the
Public with Gotch-Hack
Match Will Be Barred
in Chicago

CHICAGO, Feb. 7.—The proposed Lurich-Zbyszko wrestling match, planned to be held in the Coliseum in a couple of weeks, was stopped on Thursday by Mayor Harrison. The fact that Lurich is supposed to be under the management of promoters connected with the Hackenschmidt-Gotch fiasco of Labor day, 1911, is given as the reason.

In a letter to Chief of Police McWeeny, the mayor says:

"I understand plans are under way for a wrestling match to be held in the Coliseum in which the star attractions will be Zbyszko and Lurich. My information is to the effect that Lurich is, or has been under the management of persons connected with the Labor day swindle (the Hackenschmidt-Gotch match), at the White Sox park in 1911. One of the promoters has already seen me and has been informed that the match can not be held.

"Should any application be made to you I wish you to state immediately that the permission can not be given.

"I think the sporting public of Chicago can get along very nicely with the small shows which are being given in the halls and theaters about the city. Certainly, no permit should ever be issued to any of the crowd which gulled the public in the Hackenschmidt-Gotch fiasco of 1911."

It's queer what funny things some men see when they are blind drunk.



Mutt and Jeff, La Crosse Theater
Friday night at 8:15.

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First showing fashionable new spring footwear for women in our popular 'Hy Aim' line



Patent Colt, 13 button Shoes for women, with dull leather tops, high round toe and 1 1/2 inch heel. Good year welt sewed soles. An exceedingly attractive and high grade shoe, all sizes.

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Chocolate Colored Vel Kid Shoes, stand high in fashion's favor for spring, 13 button styles for street wear, in new rounding toe, 1 1/2 inch heels. Goodyear welt.

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Menu for Saturday

Chicken Soup
Roast Pork and Beef,
Mashed Potatoes
Succotash
Apple and Cranberry Sauce
Home made Pies and Cake
Cream Puffs, Hot Waffles

SUPPER 5 TO 7:30

Meat Loaf, Roast Veal
Creamed and Mashed Potatoes
Cabbage Salad

DURING LENT WE WILL SERVE
FISH WEDNESDAYS AND
FRIDAYS

VALENTINE GRAB BAG

We have arranged a box containing numbered tickets, ranging 1c to 35c—there are no blank ones, you simply pull a number and you may draw a 15c, 25c or 35c Valentine, but you always get your money's worth—try your luck, per draw—

1c

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Our Showing of Valentines was never so complete as this year. In addition to all sorts of Valentines—comics, lace, pull cards, panels, and post cards, we show novelties, hearts, cupids, napkins, table cover sets, etc., ranging in price up from—

HAMPERS

Made only best willow, full family size hampers, Saturday

79c

WATER PAILS

Good heavy 12 quart galvanized Water Pails, Saturday special—

14c

Drug and Toilet Specials

"Cuticura" Toilet Soap, 25c cake Saturday . . . 19c
"Rocky Mountain" Tea, 35c package . . . 19c
"Swan Down" Face Powder, 25c box . . . 19c

"Stillman's" Freckle Cream, 50c jar . . . 39c
"Graves" Dental Cream, 25c tube . . . 19c
"Empress" celebrated Color Dressing at . . . 69c

KETTLES

Full size 6 quart granite steel enameled Cooking Kettle, Saturday—

15c

SAD IRONS

Mrs. Potts' patent Sad Irons, Saturday special per set—

69c

BOYS' UNDERWEAR

Boys' "Wright's Health" Underwear, well known hygiene brand, in regular 50c quality. Saturday at

29c

IMPORTANT NOTICE

The Wm. Doerflinger Co. have unconditionally turned the entire store over to the salespeople for next week. Be sure and get our four-page announcement tomorrow. If one isn't delivered to your house, call the advertising department at the store and one will be sent. We are printing one for you and want you to receive it.

Shredded Wheat Biscuits, each . . . 12 1/2c
Tomatoes, per can . . . 10c
Baked Beans, 2 pound can . . . 9c
Corn Starch, 1 lb. package each . . . 3 1/4c

10 lbs. Granulated SUGAR 45c

Yeast Foam, each . . . 3 1/2c

Seeded Raisins, 1 lb. package each . . . 7 1/2c
Salmon, 1 lb. cans at . . . 8 3/4c
Mustard Sardines, per can . . . 7 1/2c
Domestic Oil Sardines, per can . . . 3 1/2c

MEN'S UNDERWEAR

Men's fine extra heavy fleeced Underwear, warm, well made and perfect fitting, 50c grade, Saturday at—

39c

WAISTS

Immense assortment of odds and ends Silk and Chiffon Waists that sold regularly up to \$5.95, Saturday at only . . . \$1.95

DOERFLINGER'S

GIANTS AND SOX
PLAN WORLD TOUR

NEW YORK, Feb. 7.—After a conference here with Manager McGraw of the Giants, Ted Sullivan, who came as a representative of Charley Comiskey of the White Sox, announced that plans had been well outlined for the proposed world tour of the White Sox and Giants in 1914. The two teams, says Sullivan, will make the start right after the world's series in October. Exhibition games will be played in California and on November 1 a steamer will be taken for the Orient, with a stop over at Honolulu, New Zealand and Australia. They will be visited, also China, Japan, the Philippines and Egypt. Getting into Europe games will be played in Italy, France, Germany, Spain and England and Ireland, the trip ending in Dublin on Washington's birthday in 1914, according to Sullivan's schedule.

This will be about the same route covered by the Chicago and All-American ball clubs under A. G. Spalding in 1888. Sullivan will leave

this country about the middle of August and will make arrangements for the visit of the clubs in the different countries they expect to visit.

On the Spalding trip in 1888, the clubs just covered their expenses. Mr. Sullivan announced that it was not the intention of Mr. Comiskey or Mr. McGraw to make the trip a commercial enterprise. Mr. Comiskey stands ready to shoulder any loss incurred on the trip. He wants to make the tour a triumphant march through foreign countries just for the pleasure of travel and to show the world what a great game baseball is.

CUBS WILL LEAVE
ON SPRING TRIP

CHICAGO, Feb. 7.—Manager Johnny Evers and the Cub squad will leave here on their spring training trip a week from tomorrow night. They will arrive in Jacksonville, Fla. the morning of February 17 and will leave directly for Tampa, Fla., arriving late that afternoon.

Final plans for the trip were made at a conference between Evers and Owner C. W. Murphy last night.

THORPE GOOD AD
FOR MAJOR TEAMS

CHICAGO, Feb. 7.—Mr. Jim Thorpe, the "world's greatest athlete," made quite a stir in baseball circles last week and the New York National league club did an unpopular thing in signing the Indian so quickly. It robbed all the rest of the magnates of a good theme for publicity, when by nursing it along with a little more uncertainty it might have lasted until training trip time. The value of this "Honest Injun" as an advertising medium was due largely to the immediate sympathy which the world of sport almost unanimously felt for Thorpe, and that sympathy is proof of the public's attitude toward the ridiculous system by which the line is drawn between amateurs and professionals in America.

The "crime" for which Thorpe has been compelled to surrender the trophies he won at the Olympic games was one of which practically every "amateur" of note in this country has been guilty. The difference was that Thorpe didn't need the money, while some of the others did, and that the Indian was too simple to play under an assumed name, so used him own. It is refreshing to find such unsophistication in a country which sophisticates even its children at the earliest possible age.

FINN PULLS SURPRISE

NEW YORK, Feb. 7.—Hannes Kolehmainen, the Finnish distance runner and Olympic champion, is the holder of another today as the result of a remarkable exhibition at the Irish-American games in Madison Square garden last night. The Finn was matched against some of the speediest long distance cranks in the five mile, but overcame in the leads of all his competitors, he dashed across the tape a winner in 24 minutes, 48 seconds.

The 1,000 yard special race resulted in an easy victory for Abel Kiviat, who ran away from Mel Sheppard and Frank Riley.

By hurling the 56 pound shot a distance of 25 feet, Pat Ryan, Irish-American Athletic club also hung up a record.

M'GILLIVRAY MAKES
NEW WORLD RECORD

CHICAGO, Feb. 7.—Perry McGillivray of the Illinois Athletic club was today the holder of a new world's swimming record. At the Central A. A. U. swimming championships last night he swam 500 yards in 6:15 4-5, lowering the mark of 6:21 held by C. M. Daniels of the New York Athletic club.

NORMAL QUINTET
GOES TO WAUSAU

The basketball team of the normal left today for Wausau where a game will be played with the Y. M. C. A. of that city tonight. Tomorrow night the first of the inter-normal games will be played with Stevens Point normal at Stevens Point.

HO! HO! BEN, SMATTER, CAN'T YOU TAKE A JOKE!

BY CARL ED

